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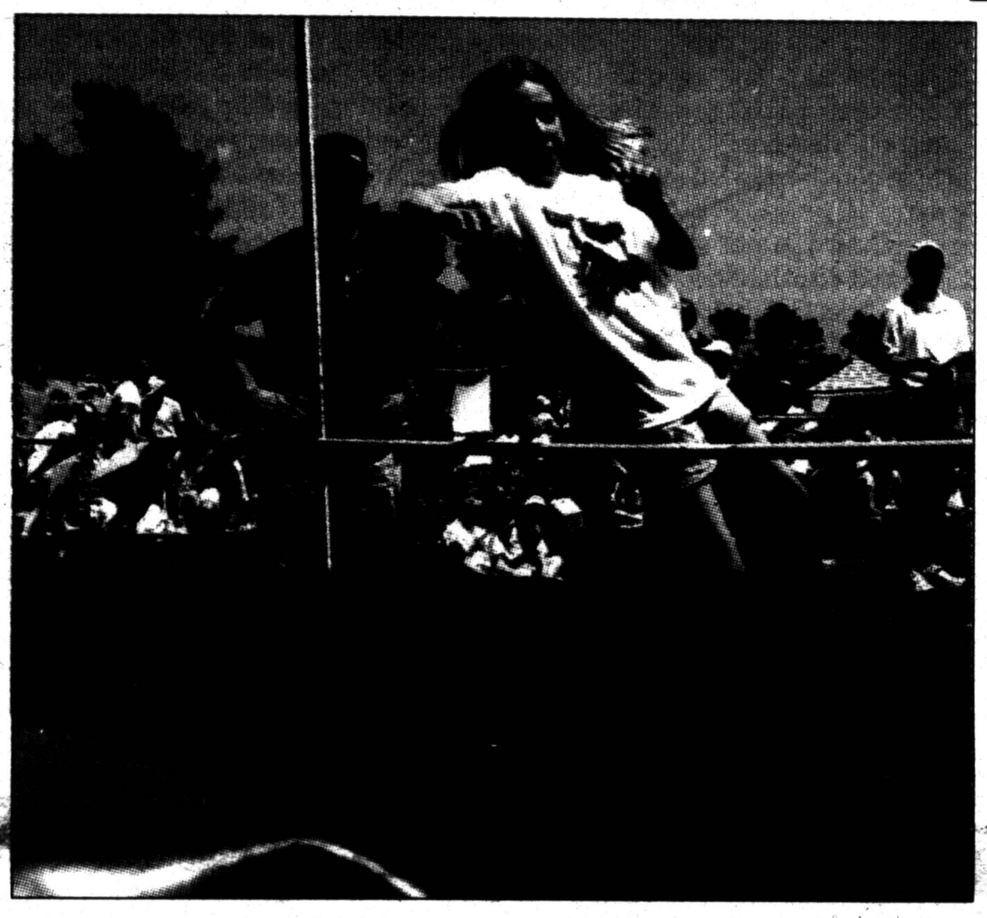

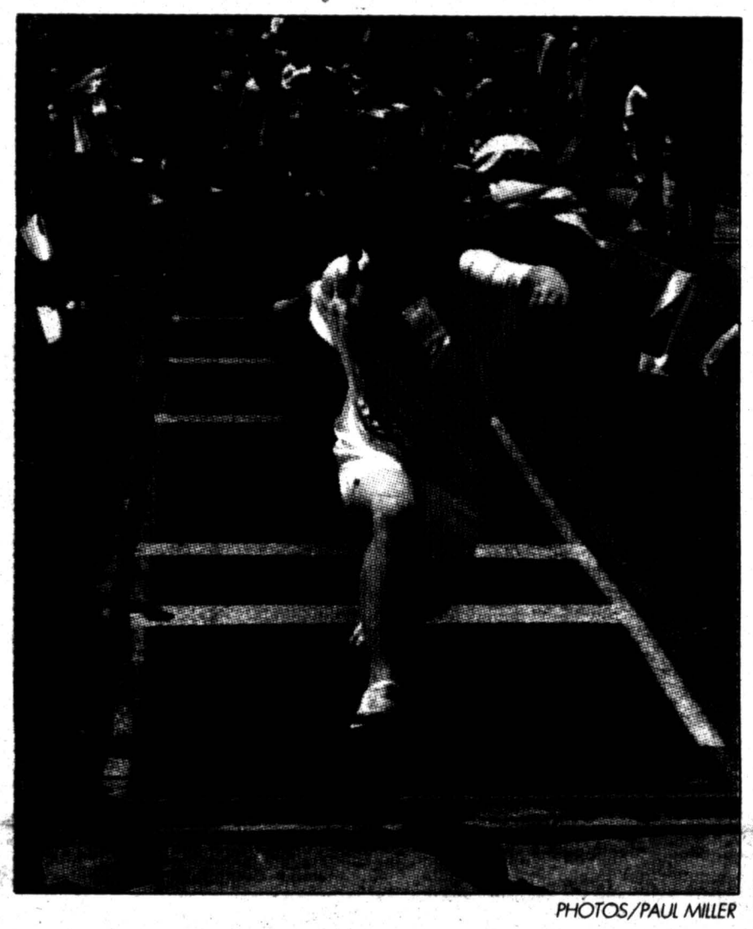

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Katie Stivers from RLS lower school (left) and Carissa Redfield from River School were among hundreds of school children who raced, jumped, hurdled and threw (javelin and discus) in the "Kids of Carmel" track and field meet at Carmel High May 18.

McPherson bill rolls thru Senate

By MARY BROWNFIELD

LEGISLATION TO give mayors control of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District sailed through the Senate Thursday on a 21-2 vote, just two days after water board directors signed a $30,000 contract to hire a lobbyist to fight it.

Senate Bill 149, authored by Senator Bruce McPherson, would replace the water board with seven new members — one county supervisor and one elected official from each Peninsula city.

McPherson testified at a Senate hearing May 22 that SB 149 constitutes one of the highest priorities for his district, according to his legislative aide, Nick Janof. Since its inception 25 years ago, the district has spent $55 million but has failed to develop a safe and reliable water supply as its mission requires, McPherson said. He also reiterated

*See **SB 149** page 20A*

Wanted: films at Sunset Center

By TAMARA GRIPPI

ACCORDING TO a new survey, locals would flock to an Alfred Hitchcock film festival or a special screening of "Lawrence of Arabia" at the newly renovated Sunset Center. The latest Sunset Center interest poll conducted by the city revealed movies are one of the top three events Carmel citizens would like to see at their showcase theater.

And a member of the Sunset Management Committee with an impressive background in the motion picture business believes he can make it happen. Shan Sayles, the owner of numerous movie theaters throughout California, recently brought in equipment specialists to find out if Sunset can accommodate a projection booth.

The answer is yes. The initial cost estimate to install the movie screen, sound system and projection booth came in

*See **FILMS** page 21A*

Council raids reserves to balance budget

By TAMARA GRIPPI

AFTER LEARNING the city's projected revenues for next year's budget will fall more than $1 million short of its expenses, the Carmel City Council agreed to dip into its reserves to stay out of the red.

At a special meeting on the 2003/2004 budget May 20, the council agreed by consensus to rely on its healthy reserves — currently $7.67 million — to balance the budget instead of laying off employees and cutting services.

However, hoping to avoid using reserves to balance the budget in the long term, the council is searching for ways to raise fees or taxes to make up the $1.69 million deficit it expects in 2004/2005.

"None of us really liked the idea of going into the reserves because they've taken so long to build up," said Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud. Next year's expenses are budgeted at $11.4 million, about $1,040,000 more than taxes and fees are expected to generate.

Members asked Carmel City Administrator Rich Guillen to study a variety of new money makers suggested by employees, including: a 2 percent increase in hotel taxes, a restaurant meal tax, a tour bus parking fee, a parks assessment district and a bottled water sales program that would make use of the city's two active springs.

Guillen will also report back to the council on proposals for a new paid parking program at Sunset Center's north lot and a "permit improvement fee" that would charge contractors, tradesmen and developers 10 percent of the total value of their projects.

In the meantime, the city will continue its current freeze on any new capital improvement projects.

The bulk of Carmel's budget woes is due to sharp increases in the cost of employee benefits, though the city's disappointing returns in hotel taxes and sales taxes also share some of the blame, according to Guillen.

*See **RESERVES** page 21A*

RUSTIC SHOWPLACE FOR VALLEY TREASURES

By TAMARA GRIPPI

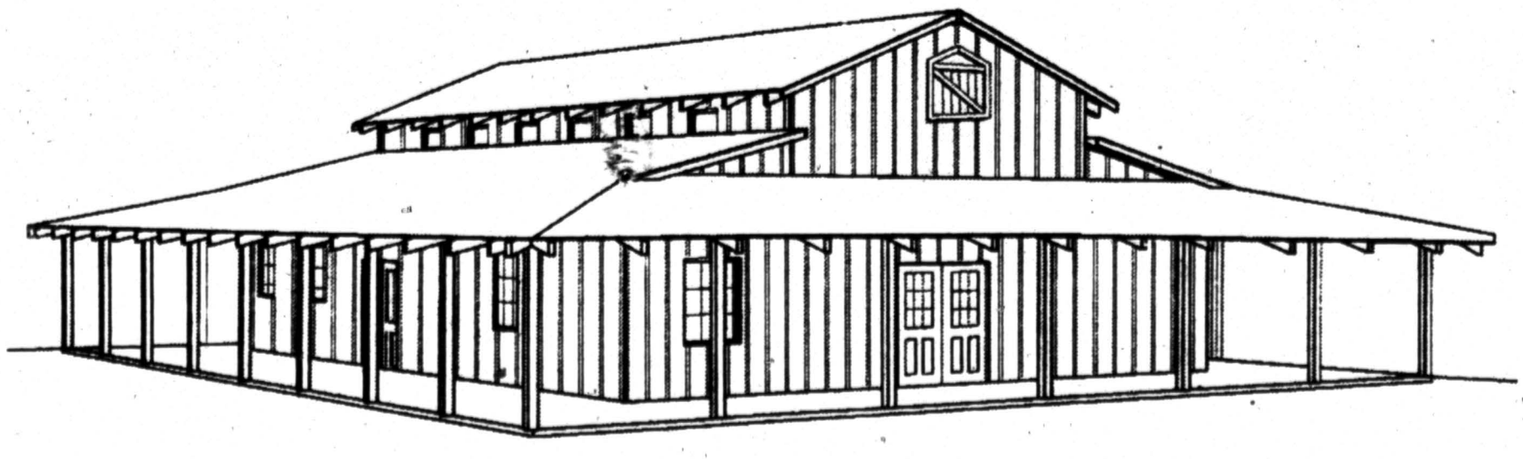
AFTER YEARS of fundraising for a small museum to show off treasures of Carmel Valley's rural history, the historical society is nearly ready to submit plans to the Monterey County Planning Department.

Ellsworth Gregory, president of the Carmel Valley Historical Society, reported his organization has already raised more than $120,000 toward its goal of $300,000.

Members hope to boost their fundraising efforts May 31 at the 11th annual California Cowboy Show at 6 p.m. at Hidden Valley Music Seminars. All proceeds from the event — featuring the entertainers Sons of the San Joaquin, Belinda Gail and cowboy poet Fred Engel — will go toward the museum.

Carmel Valley architect Joe Hertlein has already designed

*See **MUSEUM** page 6A*



DRAWING/COURTESY CARMEL VALLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

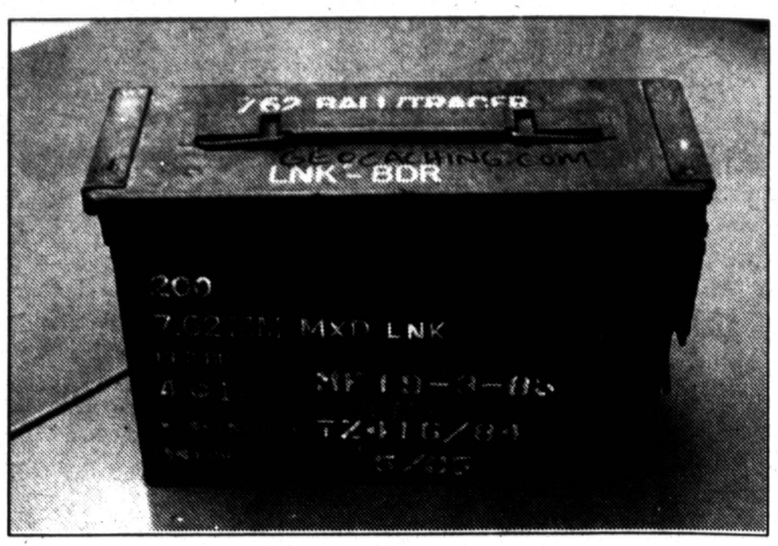
Carmel Valley architect Joe Hertlein's vision for the future looks a lot like the past: A barn with wide porches would house antique farm equipment outside and historical treasures inside. Application plans for the valley museum are nearly ready for submission.

Mayor didn't know she was a player in high-tech hide and seek

By MARY BROWNFIELD

"IF THAT thing had been in front of city hall, it would have been blown up."

That's what Carmel Police Officer Chris Johnson said of the green military-type box Mayor Sue McCloud spotted under a bush on Scenic while out for a walk early Monday morning.



Bananas in June — that's the name of the cache stashed on Scenic — is now in CPD custody, awaiting pickup by its owner.

PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

"It looked just like a G.I.-issued ammo box," McCloud said. "It was in good condition and it had obviously been placed, not tossed. I didn't want to pick it up."

So she called the police. Rather than housing an explosive device, the box turned out to be a target in a high-tech game of hide and seek.

But Johnson didn't know that when he arrived on the scene around 7:30 a.m. May 19. When he located the box, Johnson noticed "Geocaching.com" scrawled on its side in indelible ink.

"I'm looking at it and I'm not sure if I want to touch it, so I had dispatch look at the website first," he said. Had Geocaching.com been an anti-government site or something else questionable, Johnson might have called in the bomb squad.

Instead, he discovered the box, which contained a notebook, a disposable camera and other random items, was part of a game in which people use global positioning satellite technology to locate hidden caches.

From the website, players obtain coordinates for nearby stashes and then set out to search. "The location of a cache demonstrates the founder's skill and possibly even daring," reads the FAQ at Geocaching.com. "A cache located on the side of a rocky cliff accessible only by rock climbing equipment may be hard to find. An underwater cache may only be accessed by scuba."

According to the website, there are caches in 173 countries, and 1,591 are hidden within a 100-mile radius of downtown Carmel.

When a player finds a cache, he or she is supposed to take something from it, add something to it, and write a note in the logbook. The cache should be left wherever it was found, unless otherwise noted in its instructions. And it should be placed on public property but out of sight enough so that it's not found by a random passerby, like the mayor.

"It shouldn't necessarily be on the busiest walkway in town," Johnson said.

Bananas in June — that's the name of the cache stashed on Scenic — is now in CPD custody, awaiting pickup by its owner. It was first hidden in the Carquinez Strait Regional Park on March 22.

When he called Geocaching.com to notify someone the game was up for Bananas in June, Johnson joked with the person at the other end of the line.

"That's what we told the company: The good news is, we found it. The bad news is, it's been blown up."

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Memorial Day dedication planned for monument of 'forgotten war'

By TAMARA GRIPPI

AMERICAN Legion Post 512 and the City of Carmel will dedicate a new memorial to the Korean War during a special ceremony at 11 a.m. May 26 at Devendorf Park.

The American Legion plans to present two Korean service medallions issued by the Department of Defense to Carmelites Russell Harris and Richard Edwards, two veterans of the conflict.

Michael Bloom, commander of the American Legion Post 512, said Carmel's Korean War memorial is the only monument to that conflict on the Peninsula.

The plaque on the memorial reads: Remember "The Forgotten War."

Bloom explained that in many ways, the Korean War was eclipsed by the conflicts that preceded and followed it.

PHOTO/TAMARA GRIPPI

The Korean war will no longer be the "forgotten war" in Carmel after the American Legion Post 512 dedicates this monument May 26.

"Korea was almost like an afterthought," Bloom said, noting the overwhelming impact World War II had throughout the world. Americans barely remember that hundreds of thousands of U.S. servicemen were involved in the Korean conflict, he noted, including many locals who shipped out to Korea beginning in 1950. Bloom said he hopes as many Korean War veterans as possible will attend the Memorial Day ceremony.

Carmel's American Legion has been working on the Korean War memorial project for more than a year. Members were inspired by the Department of Defense's program to observe the 50th anniversary in 2000 of the start of the Korean War.

The conflict began June 25, 1950. After more than three years of fighting, an armistice was signed July 27, 1953.

Devendorf Park is already home to a Vietnam War memorial as well as a monument to World War II. Carmel's World War I memorial arch graces the center median of Ocean Avenue at San Carlos Street.

The Korean War memorial sits on the Mission Street side of Devendorf Park. Several local companies volunteered their services to make the memorial happen.

Granite Construction contributed the 1,000-pound blue granite memorial stone. Carmel Engravers engraved the plaque at no cost and Iverson Tree Service used its equipment to place the heavy boulder in the park.

Bloom said his group had originally planned to set up the memorial in front of the American Legion building on Dolores and Eighth. Then Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud suggested Devendorf Park. The city council unanimously endorsed that idea at its May 6 meeting.

The Memorial Day ceremony will include a color guard presentation by Monterey High School's Naval Junior ROTC, addresses by McCloud and Bloom, and the placing of wreaths on all the city's memorials.

Affordable housing contest winner to be announced

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

THE AMERICAN Institute of Architects (AIA) Monterey Bay Chapter will announce the grand prize winner of its affordable housing competition, Concepts, at a ceremony beginning at 6:30 p.m. May 31 at the Stanton Center and Maritime Museum of Monterey.

Earlier that day, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., the public is invited to view the entries and observe the judges as they complete their final evaluations.

Twelve finalists were asked to put their affordable housing innovations to the test by adapting their designs to specific sites in Monterey County.

While only one winner will walk away with the $10,000 grand prize, the local AIA chapter hopes many of the designs will find favor with cities and developers so they can actually be built.

The exhibit will remain in the lobby of the Maritime Museum and Stanton Center through June 5.

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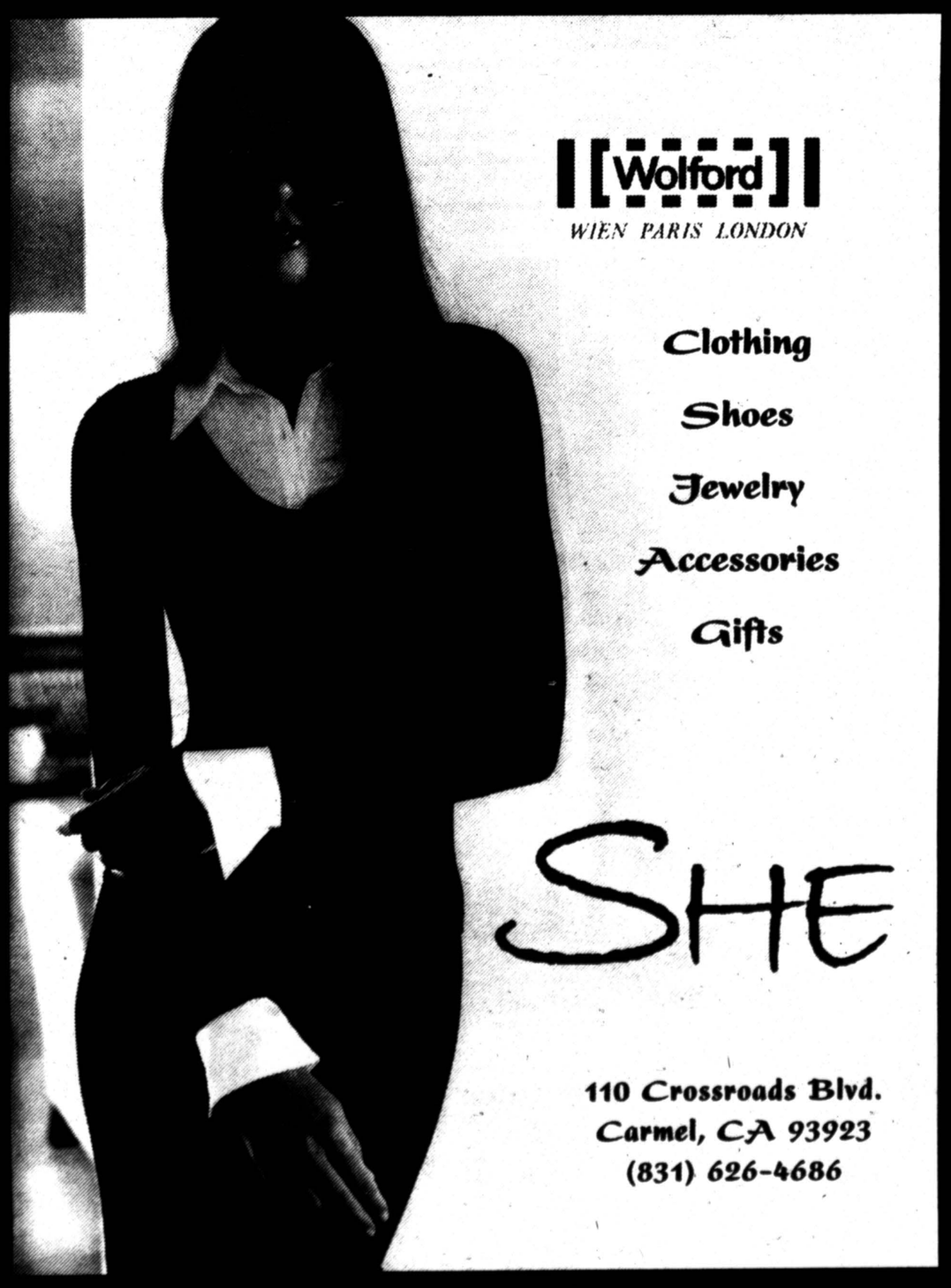

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Police & Sheriff's Log

Body parts found at two locations

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Office last week.

MOTHER'S DAY

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Black and blue 1993 Jeep Wrangler towed from Monte Verde and Fourth for registration expired more than six months and 16 outstanding parking citations totaling $906. Towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

Editor's note: The Monterey County Sheriff's Department no longer supplies deputies' logs. It also says it cannot respond to requests from The Pine Cone for more information about reported burglaries, grand theft and other potentially serious crimes. The City of Carmel-by-the-Sea has its own police force and continues to allow our reporters to review patrol logs. But in surrounding neighborhoods, we are able to supply only very brief summaries of law enforcement calls.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Habitual offender with 29 outstanding citations totaling $1,262 found parked at Mission and Fourth. The white 1997 Ford Thunderbird was towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Torres resident reported a raccoon in her garage. It appeared the animal had been living in the garage for about three days. During an inspection of the area, the raccoon was observed crawling through a hole in the wall. Resident was advised and the hole was boarded up.

Carmel area: Information taken at an Eastfield Court residence.

Carmel Valley: Kayak stolen from beside the river at a Carmel Valley Road residence. Loss valued at $900.

Carmel Valley: Civil problem at an Arroyo Seco Road address.

Big Sur: Suspicious circumstances at the 42-mile marker of Highway 1.

Big Sur: Contacted a citizen near the 45-mile marker on Highway 1.

MONDAY, MAY 12

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of an intoxicated subject sleeping in the lobby of the Carmel Youth Center since 1345 hours. After talking to the subject, it was determined he was suffering from some sort of medical problem. CFD and CRFA responded and said he might have suffered a minor stroke. He was transported to CHOMP. His vehicle was located at Junipero and Fourth with the key still in the ignition. Used his cell phone to get ahold of a contact. She said he owned an exterior washing business and was in Carmel on a job. She was talking to him on the phone when he became disoriented and didn't make any sense. He was unable to respond to her questions about where he was. She said the last time she spoke to him was about six hours ago. She suspected he was having a stroke while he was talking to her. She began looking for him after losing contact.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a subject coming around the church at Dolores and Ninth and sleeping inside overnight, even after being told not to. Yesterday, she was at the church during a brunch and was told to leave and not return. She was advised she would be charged with trespassing. This morning, evidence was found that she had been sleeping in one of the meeting rooms. Blankets, clothes and leftover food found. Her vehicle, a white Mercedes 190E, is parked at the back of the church when she is there. Church willing to prosecute if she is found on the property again.

*See **POLICE LOG** page 4B*

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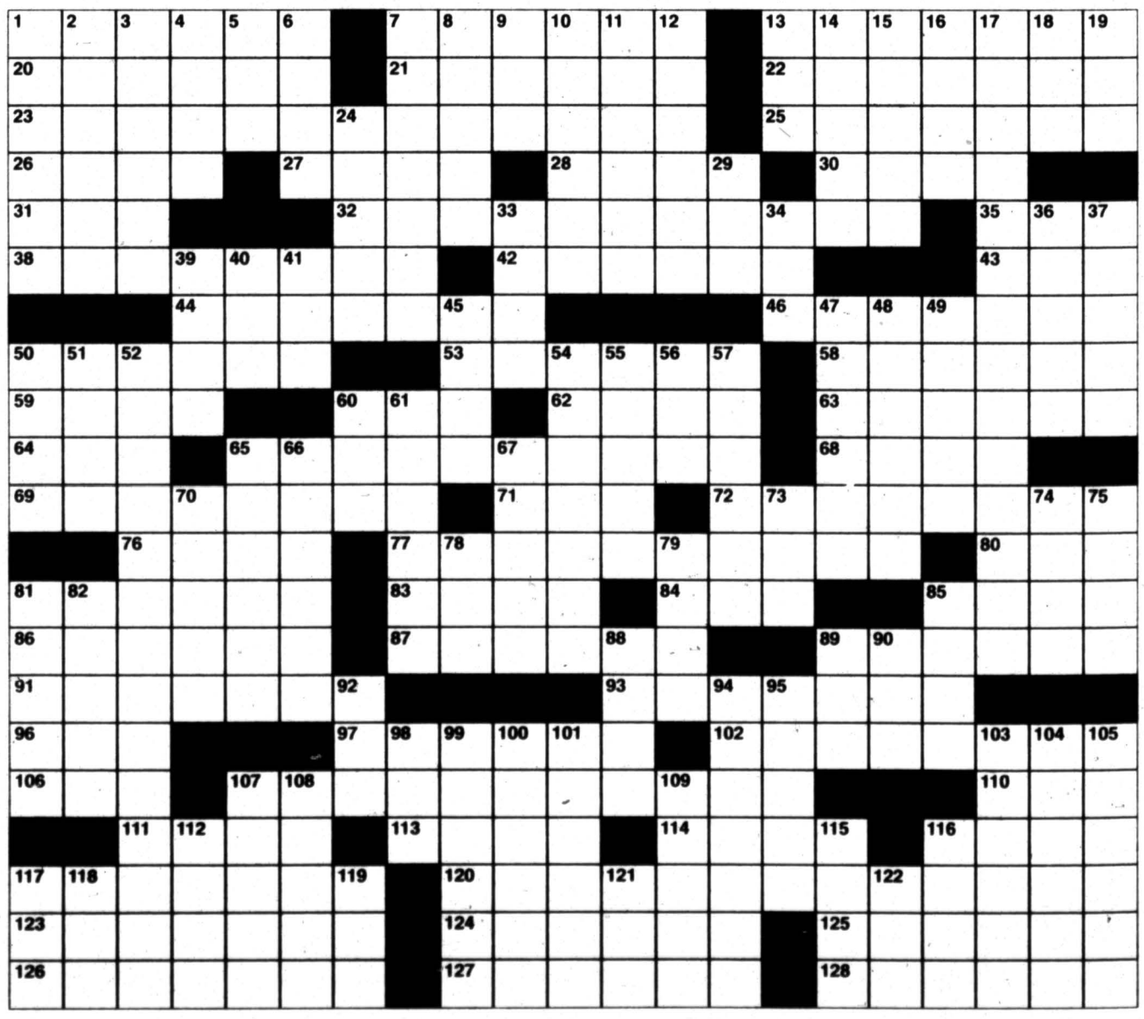

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13 Site of Simón Bolívar Airport
20 In
21 French satellite-launching rocket
22 Rigid
23 What stool pigeons do?
25 What blowhards lack
26 ___ up (in the bag)
27 School appointment
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30 Swell party
31 Article in a gazette
32 Enthusiastic drinker at an old English inn?
35 Patriots' grp.
38 Similar
42 Completely
43 F.D.R.-era agcy.
44 Actress who was born Margaret Hyra
46 Meeting needs
50 Movement including astrology and aromatherapy
53 Cheesy snacks
58 Draw out
59 Novelist who wrote the screenplay for "Gunfight at the O.K. Corral"
60 Suffix with verb
62 Aborigine of northern Japan
63 Workers with green cards
64 "Thanks a ___!"
65 Bit part in "Law and Order"?
68 Maintain
69 Central Park's ___ Fountain
71 Diminutive suffix
72 Discouraged
76 They may get into hot water
77 Member of the Ivanhoe Chorale?
80 "Whoopee!"
81 "The English Patient" setting
83 Comment of betrayal
84 Always, archaically
85 Spoonful, say
86 Too
87 Was far from respectful
89 George and Elizabeth
91 Haunt
93 Trattoria order
96 Sellout
97 Seven-time N.L. batting champ
102 Agreements
106 Madras mister
107 French lottery ticket?
110 Same old, same old
111 Author/critic John
113 Seasonal song word
114 "The fix ___"
116 Catalan-born Surrealist
117 Opposite of charge
120 Chicken dish for Adm. Peary?
123 Set apart
124 Level
125 Not level
126 Signaled
127 Noted libertine
128 Like some speakeasies

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1 Skip
2 Parthenon figure
3 "Psycho" set
4 Out of ___ (away)
5 Commercial suffix with roller
6 Dispatch
7 How flies are attracted to a Venus's flytrap
8 Padua's ___ Chapel, with a renowned Giotto fresco
9 The Everly Brothers' "___ I Kissed You"
10 Water softener brand
11 Consecrate
12 How "12" is expressed in Chinese
13 Engine part
14 Building material
15 Kind of screen
16 Infamous Aldrich
17 What the Vegas winner took aboard the plane?
18 Tunneler
19 Sloppy pen
24 Put on hold
29 Idled
33 Actress Gershon
34 Overseas broadcasting service: Abbr.
36 Delicate
37 Ensembles
39 One of a Latin trio
40 Turkey part
41 Bigger than med.
45 Once again
47 Cold dessert
48 Football team
49 Big uranium exporter
50 Unfeeling
51 Great Lakes port
52 Big cheese of basketball?
54 Unfeeling
55 Trail sight
56 Plastic ___ Band
57 Easter, e.g.
60 Chicago airport letters
61 Floods
65 Big name in eyewear
66 Themes
67 Some sisters
70 Attends, as a recital
73 Devon river
74 See 115-Down
75 Colors
78 Letter from abroad
79 Tony-winning Thompson
81 Campus group, informally
82 To have, in Le Havre
85 Anthropologist Fossey
88 Magazine with a palindromic name
89 Friday, e.g.: Abbr.
90 "Gimme ___!" (part of a Duke cheer)
92 Laura Bush's alma mater: Abbr.
94 Vacation destination
95 Caper
98 ___ notch
99 ___ up (like some jalopies)
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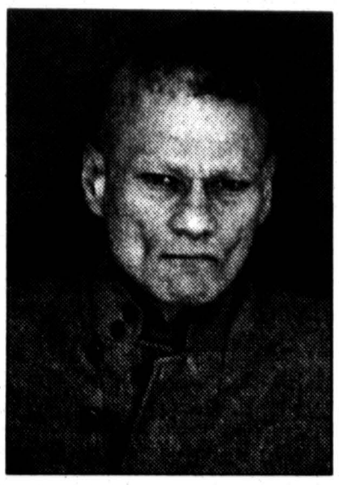
101 Boggles
103 Surveyor's equipment
104 One Fodor's guide
105 Very high
107 I.R.S. target
108 Be on a soapbox
109 Stale
112 Author/poet Bates
115 With 74-Down, part of Asia
116 49-Down neighbor
117 Free
118 Computer attachment?
119 A Kennedy
121 Santa ___
122 Jeff Davis's cause: Abbr.

Answer to puzzle on page 11A

Rippling River man suspected in beating

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A 49-YEAR-OLD Rippling River man was arrested May 19 after allegedly beating a Carmel Valley transient over the head with a metal pipe. The attack occurred following an argument inside suspect Arthur Douglas' apartment, according to the Monterey County Sheriff's Department.



Arthur Douglas

Carmel Valley Fire Protection District paramedics were first on the scene at Rippling River after being called to respond to a victim with head injuries just after 2:30 p.m. After stabilizing 46-year-old Alexander Dailey's spine, bandaging his wounds and loading him into an ambulance, paramedics rushed him to Community Hospital. Dailey was conscious at the scene, according to one emergency worker.

But he was unconscious and placed on a ventilator when he arrived at the hospital, and Carmel Valley Fire personnel told physicians the man had been hit over the head with a bat or a pipe, according to a report by Deputy Denis Greathead.

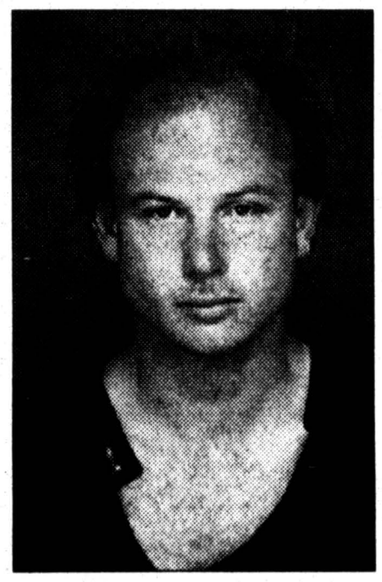
Subsequent investigation at the scene revealed Douglas had struck Dailey on the face and head with a "5-foot-long, heavy metal pipe," according to Greathead. Douglas was then arrested and booked into Monterey County Jail.

He appeared in court the following day for his arraignment, during which he pleaded not guilty to a felony charge of assault with force by means with which to inflict great bodily injury. Douglas is set to appear at a preliminary hearing May 30 and is being held on $100,000 bail.

Driver arrested for dragging deputy

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES responding to a disturbance of the peace on Nason Road Monday got more than they bargained for when plumber Kristopher Timmons reportedly started driving his car in reverse with one of the deputies hanging out the door.



Kristopher Timmons

According to a report filed by Deputy Fred DeLasantos, an officer was trying to remove Timmons from a blue Chevrolet Monte Carlo when the man threw the Chevy in reverse. Another deputy on the scene shot one of the car's tires in an attempt to stop it, and Timmons was arrested after a scuffle.

Those involved sustained minor scrapes and abrasions, and Timmons was taken to Monterey County Jail for booking on charges of assault with a deadly weapon against an officer and resisting arrest. He has since posted bail, and charges are pending against him, according to the district attorney's office. Timmons' arraignment has been set for May 28.

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Carmel Valley

MUSEUM

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a 2,400-square-foot barn-like structure. Most recently, Hertlein has added an 8- to 10-foot-wide porch to the design — an ideal place to display some of the valley's antique farm equipment.

The museum will be built on land adjacent to the Carmel Valley Community Center Park. The historical society will lease that land from the Carmel Valley Recreation and Parks District for $1 a year.

Gregory said valley residents have been waiting a long time for a museum dedicated to the rich history of the area.

"There's an awful lot of history in the valley," Ellsworth said. "Next to Monterey, Carmel Valley has most of the history" of the Peninsula.

In fact, the small town in the valley was originally called just "Carmel" and only added the words "Valley Village" after Carmel-by-the-Sea was founded on the coast.

The historical society has acquired a treasure trove of artifacts for its new museum including historical photographs, books, maps and farm equipment.

Ellsworth said visitors to the museum will be able to see "tremendous Indian artifacts from San Carlos Ranch and the Fish Ranch."

Carmel Valley's first grand piano — which arrived at the Hatton family home in 1847 — will be on display. The collection will also include 350 books written about Carmel Valley, photographs dating back 100 years and a number of the original signs for homesteads and old valley sites.

A county map dating back to 1887 shows all the land grants in Monterey County.

Hertlein said the artifacts are currently scattered throughout the valley. "They're here, there and everywhere," he said. "That's one of the reasons why this building is very much needed. We've got artifacts, but we can't bring them all together and start explaining them at one time."

Hertlein said he looks forward to the day when the file cabinets full of historical records will be protected in the controlled environment of the museum.

Both men agreed the museum will provide a wonderful opportunity for local students to gain a better understanding of the valley's rich past. Hertlein pointed out that the valley has undergone numerous changes over its 150-year history.

"At one time it was full of apricot orchards," he said. "At one time there was cattle ranching. Dairies were a big factor with the Hattons. We're easily in the fourth cycle [of history] of what is predominantly a little more wine oriented."

Donations to the museum may be sent to the Carmel Valley Historical Society, P.O Box 1612, Carmel Valley, CA 93924.

Kiwanians reward studious students

SIX CARMEL Valley high school students received scholarships from the Kiwanis Club of Carmel Valley this month, bringing the service group's total awards past the $90,000 mark since the first $500 scholarship was given 25 years ago. Carmel High students Andrew Crockett, Covie Gonzales, Evynn LeValley and Lacy Coburn-Armstrong, Santa Catalina student Ashley Hightower and York student Jennifer Rosenbaum got the awards after being nominated by their schools. The club announced the 2003 scholarship recipients May 8, following personal interviews with each of the candidates.

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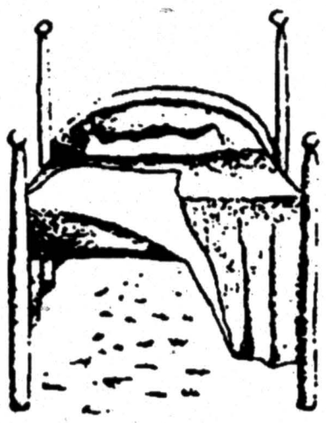
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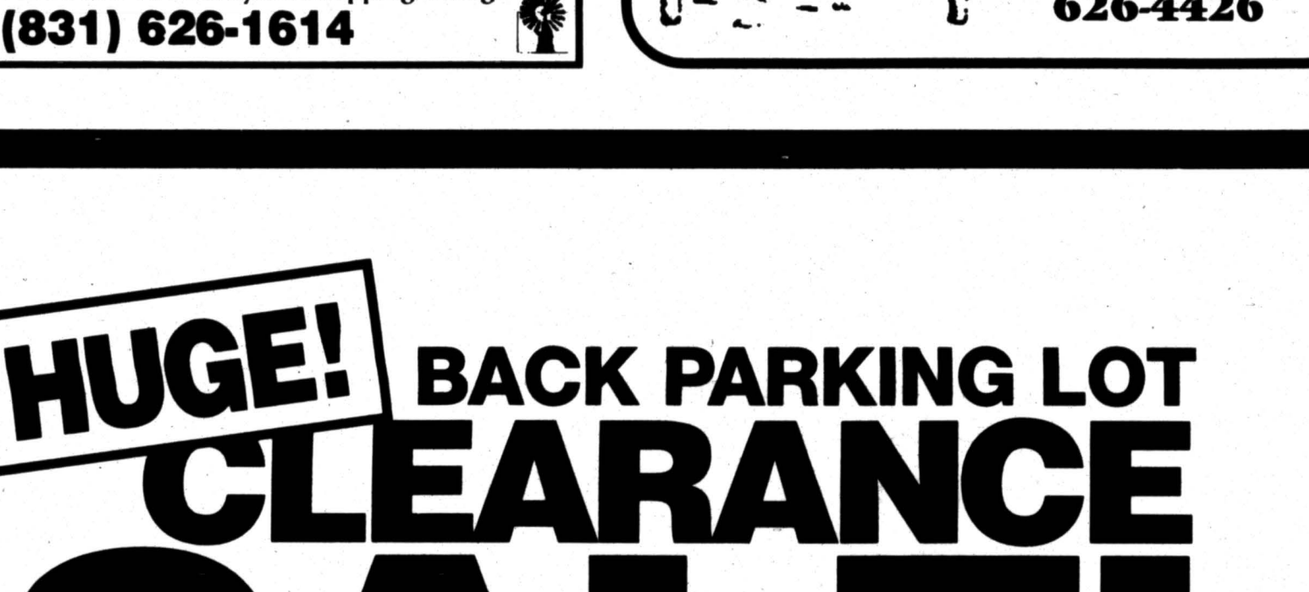
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Padre parents seek support for best all-night bash in town: Sober Grad

By MARY BROWNFIELD

PARENTS KEEP secrets well. Each year, they manage to pick an elaborate theme for Carmel High School's Sober Grad night and keep it under tight wraps during months of planning involving dozens of people.

The fantasy world to be created June 13 will remain a surprise until the first member of Carmel High's graduating class walks through the gym doors that night, and it should be exciting enough to captivate the 150-plus teenagers until they are allowed to leave at 5:30 the next morning.

"We meet all year long, and first it's figuring out the theme and then figuring out how to put it into play," said Sober Grad secretary Janice Hawkins, currently in her fourth year of helping to organize the event. "It's a night of fun and activities that students participate in all night long with all their fellow graduates, and for some, it's the last time they get to be with each other as a group."

'Some students have difficulty making it through the night," Hawkins said. "It's a wonderful night, but it can be a long night if you're not used to staying up 24 hours.'

— Janice Hawkins

In addition to putting in hours of planning and labor, the parents rely heavily on contributions of cash and prizes to make the event a success. Putting on a party for such a huge number of kids gets expensive, and the better the prizes, the more they will want to play the games.

"It's a lock in, with fun and games indoors and outdoors, and a DJ all night long," she said, referring to the fact that once students enter the transformed gym, they're there to stay.

While pulling all-nighters comes easy to most students, some might find themselves tired out after the landmark day's festivities. In that case, they can take refuge in a section of the gym filled with beanbags and other comfy furniture set aside for napping.

"Some students have difficulty making it through the night," Hawkins said. "It's a wonderful night, but it can be a long night if you're not used to staying up 24 hours."

Although the evening hosts Carmel High and Carmel Valley High graduates, Hawkins said the 50 parents and 20 teachers who throw the event also hope others in town will get involved.

"If someone has construction talents or decorating talents, or wants to make cash donations or prizes, we would definitely like to include them and have the community support everyone in this endeavor," she said.

Sober Grad nights are held all over the nation, and CHS seniors have gathered for the event every year for more than a decade. Statistics show the no-drugs-no-alcohol party has kept kids safely off the street, greatly reducing accidents on graduation night, according to Hawkins.

"A local parent decided 11 years ago to try and get it off the ground, and it's been a huge success," she said, and more than 95 percent of the graduates attend. "We really do try to get them all to go, and the students who choose not to participate are generally disappointed because everybody else is inside."

With graduation just weeks away, the need for donations is gearing up.

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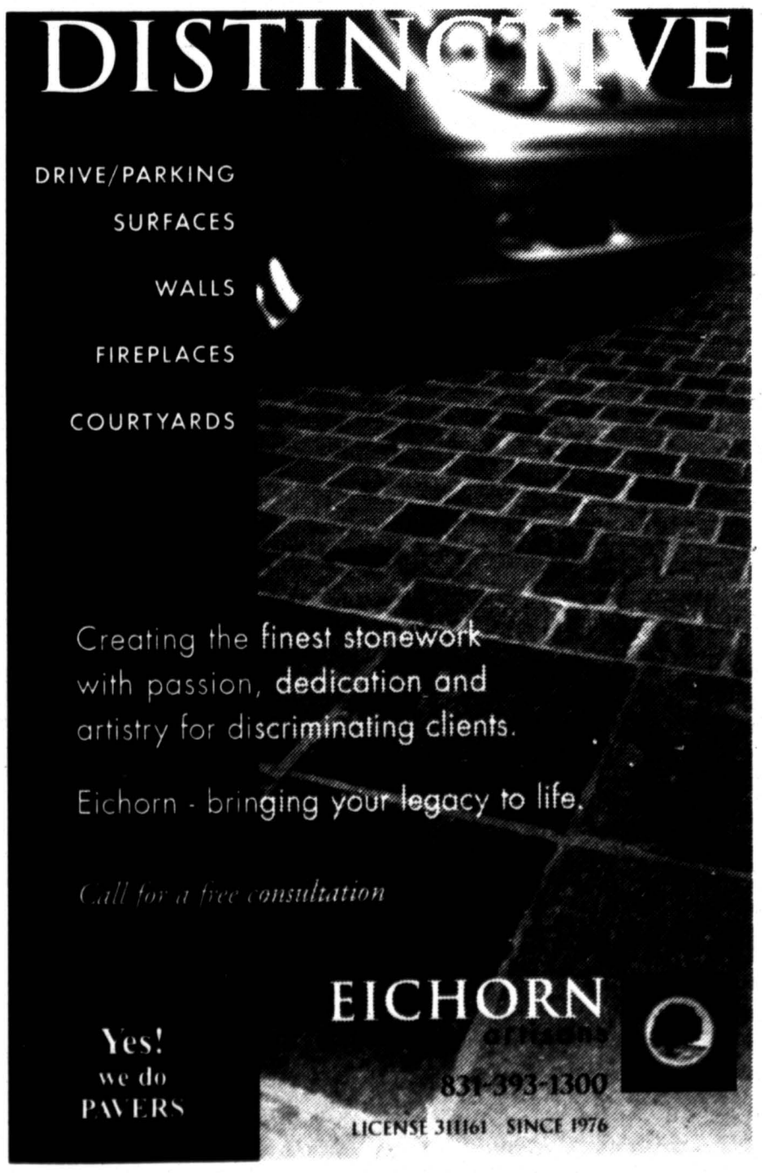

River School's 'Recycling Express' pulls into town

By TAMARA GRIPPI

STEVE TAYLOR'S third grade class walked all the way from River School to downtown Carmel, on a mission to collect recyclables while studying Carmel history. Taylor's whole class participated in the field trip, which included visits to First Murphy House, the Local History Room at the Harrison Memorial Library Park Branch and the Forest Theater.

PHOTO/TAMARA GRIPPI

Carmel River School third graders Kristina Eccher (right) and Allie Lombardi (left) pulled "The Recycle Express" through Carmel May 22 with classmate Sam Bennett and parent Ellen Fondiler bringing up the rear.

The kids learned about Carmel history while pitching in to clean up the city.

Parent Chris Robertson said the children filled up two recycling bins with paper and plastic bottles they found along their journey, which included city hall.

The students have been learning about recycling while tending to the organic crops in the Carmel River School Children's Garden.

The young gardeners use wood chips from the Monterey Regional Waste Management District's recycling plant to mulch their garden. Leftovers from school lunches are recycled in the garden's compost pile or worm bin.

Parents at Carmel River School have also created a healthy eating program in which local farmers and chefs come to the school to teach cooking and nutrition to the fourth grade.

The school recently received a $3,000 recycling education grant from the Carmel Marina Corporation. Parents hope to use those funds to further expand their healthy living programs and build a greenhouse at the school.

Palo Colorado residents sue neighbor for trespass

By MARY BROWNFIELD

A GROUP of Palo Colorado Road residents has sued a neighbor, Gary Kelley, for allegedly trespassing on the association's 30-acre parcel in the canyon south of Carmel Highlands.

The group, called the Palo Colorado Association, wants a Monterey County Superior Court judge to force Kelley to remove five water tanks and a satellite dish they say he has installed on property next to his own Palo Colorado Road land. Kelley also built a road and is storing timber and other construction materials, covering about 2,000 square feet of the site in total, according to the complaint filed by Monterey attorney John Giffen April 1.

"Kelley willfully and intentionally" trespassed and "knew that he was building and/or storing the trespassing items on Palo Colorado's property without any good faith belief that he had a right to do so," according to the suit.

But Kelley told The Pine Cone no one from the association had contacted him and that he had not seen the lawsuit.

Giffen responded that neither he nor his clients have managed to get hold of him.

In its complaint, the nonprofit said Kelley "acted maliciously and oppressively," so he should have to pay exemplary and punitive damages in addition to any compensation.

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Expensive tree-moving experiment deemed a success

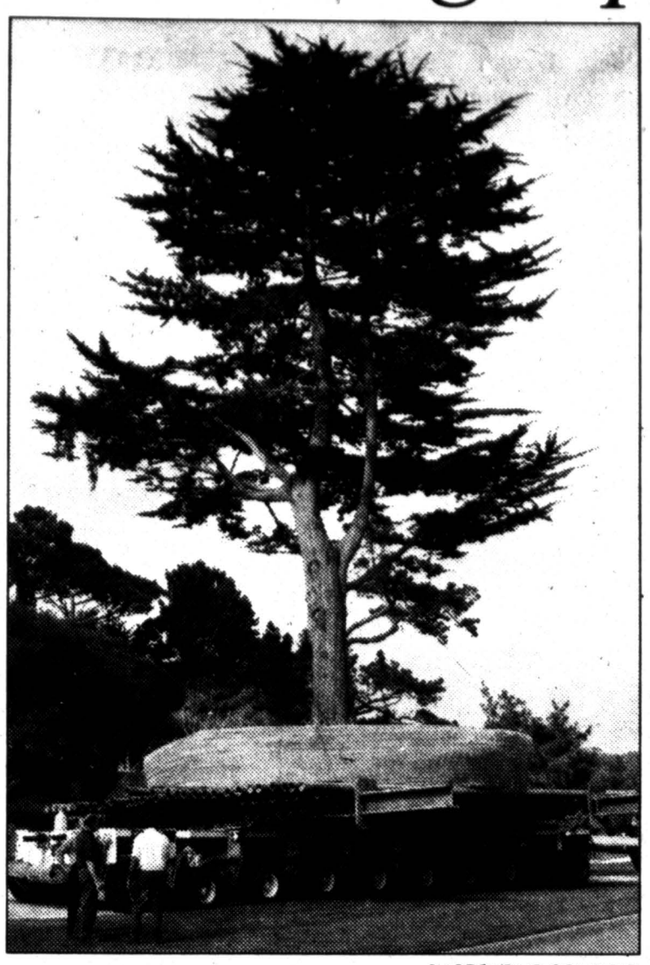
By TAMARA GRIPPI

THE 75-foot-tall Monterey cypress, dramatically transported three-quarters of a mile across the Pebble Beach Golf Links last May, has survived its first year next to the 18th Green and is even sprouting new growth.

P.B. Co. executives said they are very pleased the $300,000 tree move has proved a success. "The tree is healthy and thriving in the new location," said RJ Harper, senior vice president of Pebble Beach's golf division.

Harper reported the majestic cypress withstood the fierce winds of the December storms, though it did lose one large branch to harsh winter weather. Ever since the tree was moved, it has been steadied by four cables connecting its mid-section to the ground. Eventually, they'll be removed and the tree will stand on its own, but officials may leave them for another year for insurance.

So far, the cypress has proved to be a a hit with the golfers, who missed the challenge posed by the 18th Hole's former guardian, a Monterey Pine that died in 2001.



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The Pebble Beach Co. spent a third of a million dollars to move the huge cypress to the 18th Hole of the PB Golf Links last May.

"The PGA Tour had a chance to play the hole without the tree during the 2002 AT&T Pro-Am and the unanimous opinion from the entire field was that the tree needed to be replaced," Harper said.

Over the years, the difficulty of the famous par-5 18th Hole at Pebble Beach was due to the presence of the large pine on one side of the fairway and the ocean on the other, which required a very accurate approach shot. "Without the tree, 18 became a much easier hole to play," Harper said.

P. B. Co found the ideal replacement tree in a grove of cypress on the 1st Fairway. "It was a fairly simple choice to take the tree" — estimated to be 65 years old, Harper said.

Environmental Design, Inc., of Houston, took charge of the momentous, two-day move, using a 64-wheel trailer to carry the 400,000-pound cypress from the 1st Fairway to the 18th Green.

That contractor stayed on the job for the next year to care for the tree and monitor its health every two weeks.

Environmental Design's arborist, using a system of pipes to inspect the cypress roots, reported they are growing.

Now that the stately cypress has truly taken root next to the 18th Green, P. B. Co is looking to move other mature trees to some strategic places along the golf links.

While the company doesn't envision moving any trees as big as the 400,000-pound cypress, plans are in the works to transport some at least half that size onto the First, Second, Third, 14th, and 16th Holes. Environmental Design will be in charge of the replanting.

"A lot of arborists can certainly tell you how to maintain trees, but very few companies actually have the engineering capability to move a tree like this," Harper said. "We felt we picked the right people to do the job."

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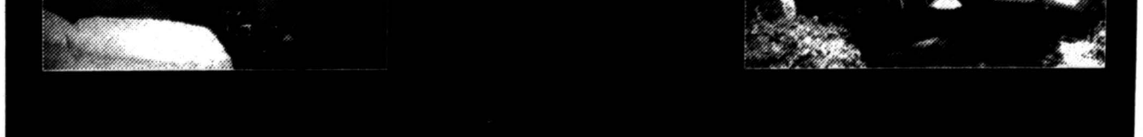

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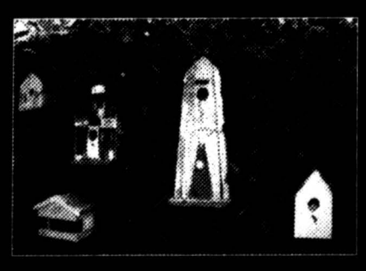

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The City of Carmel-by-the-Sea is soliciting applications from Carmel-by-the-Sea residents to fill an unscheduled vacancy on the Planning Commission. The term will expire October of 2005.

Persons interested in applying for this position may pick up an application at City Hall, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues. Applications are available during normal business hours (8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.).

Applications will be accepted until Thursday, May 29, 2003.

The Planning Commission consists of five members. All members of the Planning Commission must be residents of the City and have particular interest in, and familiarity with planning matters.

A description of the duties and responsibilities is on file in the City Clerk's office.

DATED: May 15, 2003

Mathletes' brain waves heat up Hartnell College

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

THE 35TH Annual Monterey County Mathletics Competition pitted the county's 200 brightest math students from 20 public and private schools against each other for medals and U.S. Savings Bonds May 17.

Carmel High School's Ryan Sinnet was awarded the $750 Richard Morgantini Scholarship as the top scoring graduating senior in the Calculus competitions. First place winners took home $100 bonds; second place won $75, and third place received $50.

The gold, silver and bronze medal winners were:

■ **7TH GRADE:** First place, Devan Kennifer (All Saints); second place, B.J. Lally (All Saints); third place, Stephanie Johnson (All Saints)

■ **ALGEBRA:** First place (tie), Thepphan Asvatanakul (RLS) and Bob Wei (RLS); second place, Ji-Hyo Suh (RLS); third place, Andrew Durkee (San Benancio).

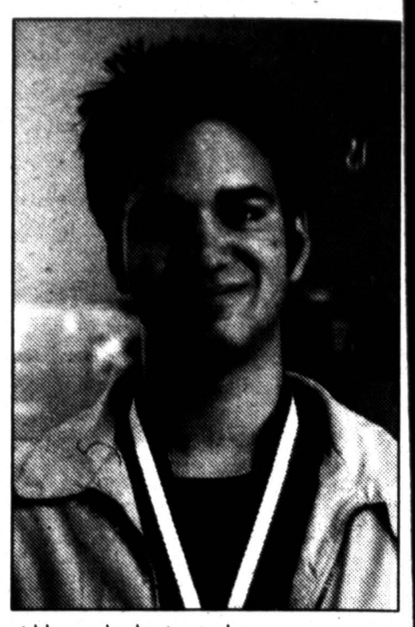
■ **GEOMETRY:** First place, Nate Laughton (RLS); second place, Kira Freusen (Santa Catalina); third place, Costa Perepelitsa (York).

■ **ALGEBRA II:** First place, Michelle Meyer (Carmel High); second place, Daniel Chung (RLS); third place, Jessica Hightower (Santa Catalina).

■ **MATH ANALYSIS:** First place, Zac Yee (RLS); second place, Ashlee You (RLS); third place, Shirleen Jouw (Santa Catalina).

■ **CALCULUS A/B:** first place (tie), Josh Kroll (York); Ryan Sinnet (Carmel High); second place, Kristen Goecke (Stevenson); third place, Mi-Jung Park (Santa Catalina).

■ **CALCULUS B/C:** first place, Dennis Perepelitsa (York); second place, HoSeung Ryu (Pacific Grove High); third place, Louis Gularte (York).



Although he's only a junior at York School, Dennis Perepelitsa took home the gold medal in the toughest competition at the 35th Annual Mathletics Competition: Advanced Calculus B/C.

Four schools took home team trophies: All Saints for seventh grade math; RLS for algebra, advanced algebra and math analysis; Santa Catalina for geometry; and York School for calculus and advanced calculus.

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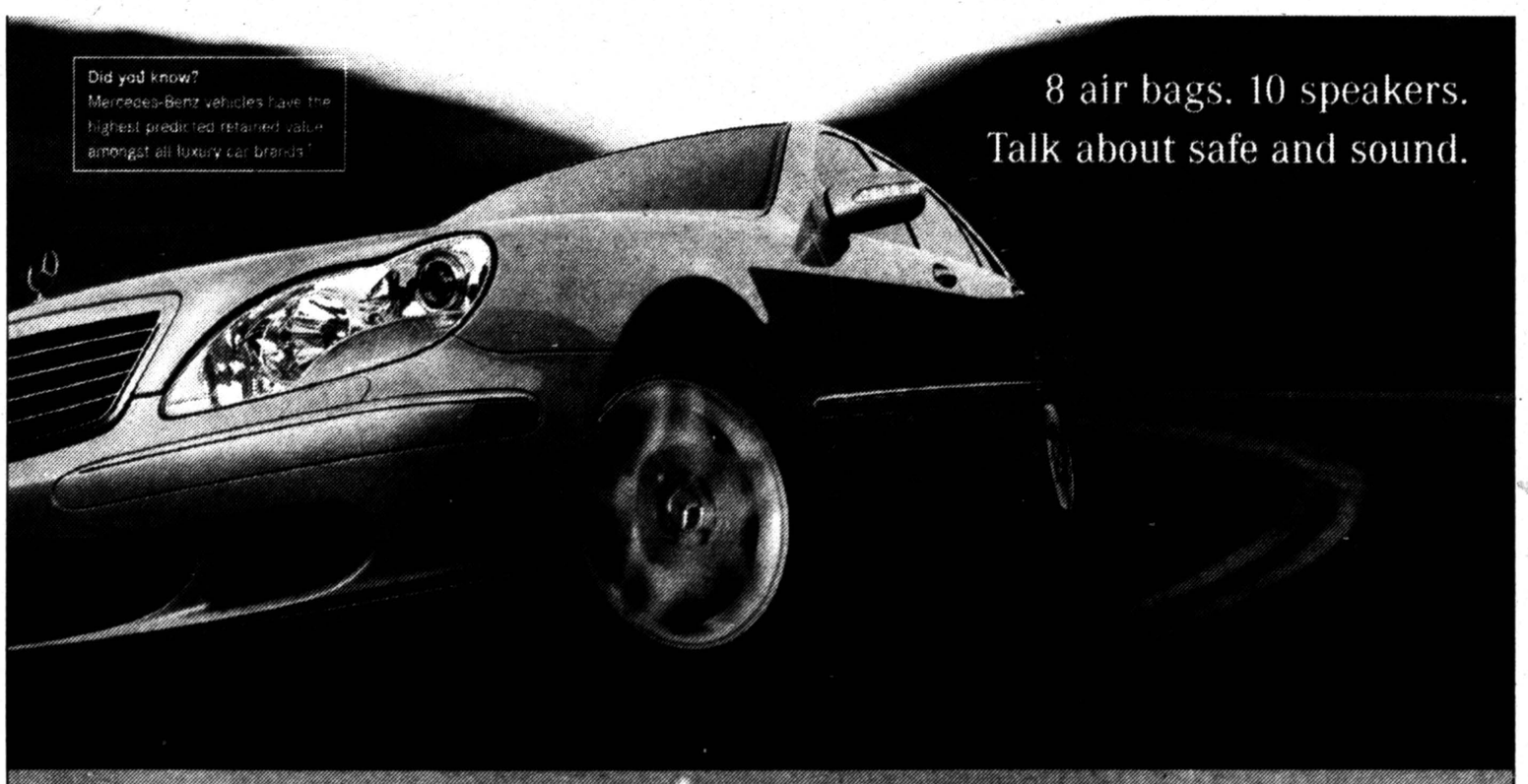
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SHEILA SLOAN of Carmel, a homemaker for 58 years, died April 24. She was 93.

A native of Minsk, Russia, she made her home in Sherman Oaks for 37 years before moving to Carmel a year ago.

In her early years Mrs. Sloan was a shoe model for magazine advertising in New York City and a clothing model for Lilly Rubin Co. She worked for the Alfred Knopf publishing company and was a member of Mothers for Peace during the Vietnam War.

She is survived by her son, Marc of Carmel; and a sister, Rosanne Foster of Los Angeles. She was preceded in death by her husband of 44 years, Jesse, in 1989.

Memorials are suggested to www.moveon.org

PATRICK LEONARD DORMODY, 73, died April 27 after a yearlong battle with pleural mesothelioma.

Born in San Francisco, he moved to Monterey at 18 months of age. He graduated from Carmel High School where he played basketball on the Lightweights and baseball for the Padres. Mr. Dormody served in the U.S. Navy in the early 1950s and returned home to help his father, Dr. Horace Dormody, run the Monterey Hospital LTD, until the family sold it the Eskaton Corporation in 1975.

Mr. Dormody was an avid outdoorsman who belonged to the Hollister Land and Cattle Co. duck club for more than 30 years. He loved fly fishing and trips to the Sierra as well as his time spent in Montana. He was a charter member of the Ventana Chapter of the Sierra Club and a member of Ducks Unlimited.

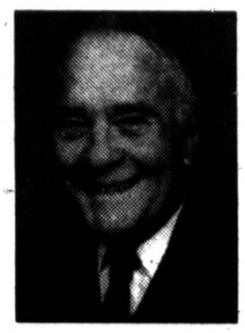
He is survived by his wife of 11 years, Sammy Jo; sons Mike of Alaska, Tom of New Mexico, Kirk of California and Jonathan of Colorado; his brother Mike and sister, Pam Smith, both of Carmel; and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Betty.

Memorials are suggested to the Hospice of the Central Coast.

CHARLES "CHUCK" R. STRATHMEYER, a realtor, architect and contractor of Carmel Valley since 1954, died May 9 at age 83.

Born in York, Penn., he graduated from Pennsylvania State University with degrees in civil and mechanical engineering. Mr. Strathmeyer moved to California in 1945 after serving as a Navy officer in World War II aboard the USS Monticello.

As a licensed building designer and general contractor for more than 40 years, Mr. Strathmeyer designed and built many Carmel Valley homes. Active in civic affairs, he served terms as president of various organizations including the Tularcitos School Parents' Club, the Carmel Valley Property Owners Association, the Kiwanis Club, Rotary Club and Carmel Valley Trail and Saddle Club.



For many years, he served as ringmaster for the Monterey County Fair Horse Show. Mr. Strathmeyer also received the Good Egg Award from the Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce.

He is survived by his daughters, Kevan Ann of Carmel and Kristi Woodall of Ohio; a stepson, Jeffrey Dennis-Strathmeyer of Pleasant Hill, and two grandchildren.

Memorials are suggested to the Visiting Nurses Association, Box 2480, Monterey, CA 93942.

PATRICIA MEYER EWING died May 10 at Stanford Medical Center after a five-year battle with heart and lung problems. She was 61 and lived in San Francisco before moving to Orinda, where she lived for 34 years. She kept a second home in Carmel.

A native of Sacramento, she graduated from UC Berkeley in 1962 and worked as a real estate broker for 20 years, retiring in 1998. Her associations included Pi Beta Phi Sorority, Santa Maria Catholic Church, UC Berkeley Alumni Association, National Association of Realtors and Dominican Convent Alumni Association. She enjoyed relaxing in Carmel, reading and giving time to various charitable organizations.

Mrs. Ewing is survived by her husband of 35 years, John; daughters Jennifer Ewing and Katherine Ewing Davis; sister Mrs. Clinton Waring of Granite Bay; and brothers Frederick Van Bergen Meyer Jr. and Joseph Gwerder Meyer, both of Sacramento. She was predeceased by her parents, Frederick Van Bergen Meyer Sr. and Josephine Gwerder Meyer.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Stanford University/The Ewing Family Research Fund c/o The Vera Moulton Wall Center, 750 Welch Road, Ste. 305, Palo Alto, CA 94304.

A MEMORIAL SERVICE for **JULIA GASKELL** will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 31 at the Church of the Wayfarer in Carmel-by-the-Sea.

A celebration of her life will follow at the home of Bob and Melissa Eason, 24498 San Mateo, Carmel.

Donations in Mrs. Gaskell's memory are suggested to Harrison Memorial Library or the Hospice of the Central Coast.

LOUISE CECELIA MORRISS, 93, a 31-year resident of Carmel died May 10.

A native of Portland, Ore., she attended St. Mary's Academy in that city and was retired as a psychiatric technician at Fairview State Hospital in Costa Mesa. She was a member of the Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula and the Carmel Valley Women's Club.

Mrs. Morriss is survived by her daughter, Jeanette Wolff of Cambria; son Richard of Carmel Valley; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ray, in 1957.

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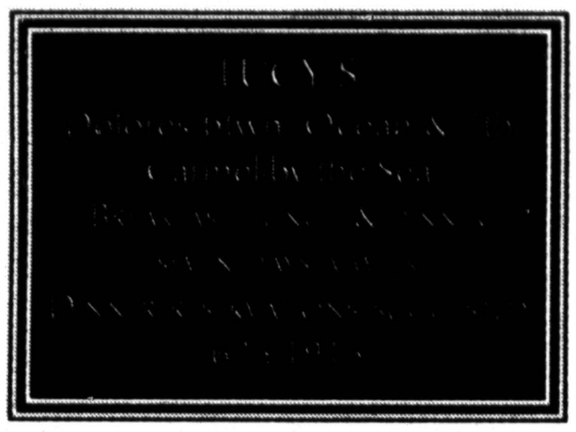


WHEN SO much is changing in Carmel-by-the-Sea — long-standing boutiques and shops giving way to larger businesses that can afford high rents — it's good to see an erstwhile Carmel restaurant, gone for some time, reappear on the scene, renamed and relocated as Lucy's on Dolores Street.

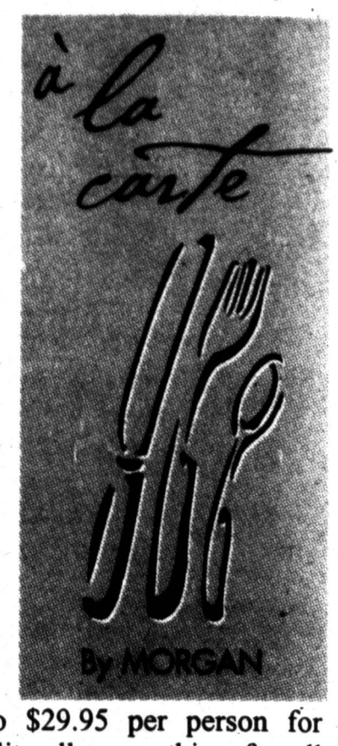
Lucy's surfaced next to Piccadilly Park last October where The Fabulous Toots Lagoon reigned for so many years. Lace cottage curtains in the front windows now tip off passersby that this is now a family restaurant. There's still a bar in the back, tended by Kim, with three screens televising sporting events.

Long-time locals will remember with affection the Carmel Cafe on Mission near Sixth — 1985 to 1992 — loved for its breakfast and lunch offerings. It was owned and run for seven years by the Frick family (Midge and retired Admiral Joseph Frick, their daughter Leslee and her husband, Herb Beckett.) Mrs. Frick retired in '92 when they closed the restaurant. It later became the Bates Carmel Cafe when Pine Cone artist Bill and Lei Lei Bates took it over. It is now Mizu Sushi. But back in the '60s and '70s, it was the renowned Donut Cafe, the town's coffee klatch gathering place.

When the Toots Lagoon location became available, Midge, Leslee and Herb decided to reactivate the cafe with co-owners Chef Bernard (Bernie) and Melinda Moises, naming it Lucy's after the Becketts' 2-year old daughter.

Herb cooks during the breakfast hours, which commence at 8:30 a.m. and run through 2:30 p.m., with Lucy's apple oat pancakes ($8.95) and Tuscan French toast ($7.95) being the best sellers from an extensive and imaginative menu.

Lunch, also prepared by Herb, is available from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. with soups, salads and cold and hot sandwiches offered at reasonable prices. Homemade pies, cakes and cookies by Midge tempt lunch regulars.



Dinner offers upscale dishes prepared by Chef Bernie. From eight appetizers, $6.95 to $8.95, we chose chicken skewers served with a spicy peanut sauce ($6.95) prepared to perfection — succulent in the middle, but lightly browned on the outside. Our dinner companion chose lobster-stuffed ravioli in a ginger and scallion cream sauce ($8.95). She declared them excellent. We tried a spoonful of the sauce, and found the flavors and texture marvelous.

Bypassing some tempting soups and salads, we went directly to the main course. Seventeen entrées, ranging from $12.95 for pan-seared sand dabs with lemon/caper sauce (a local favorite, according to Herb), to $29.95 per person for Châteaubriand for two, there is literally something for all tastes and budgets.

The Monterey Bay Clambake of clams, mussels, corn, shrimp, lobster, and potatoes in a saffron-tomato broth at $23.95 is a menu item customers frequently rave about. Herb says, "fish eaters just love it." We've made a note to try this

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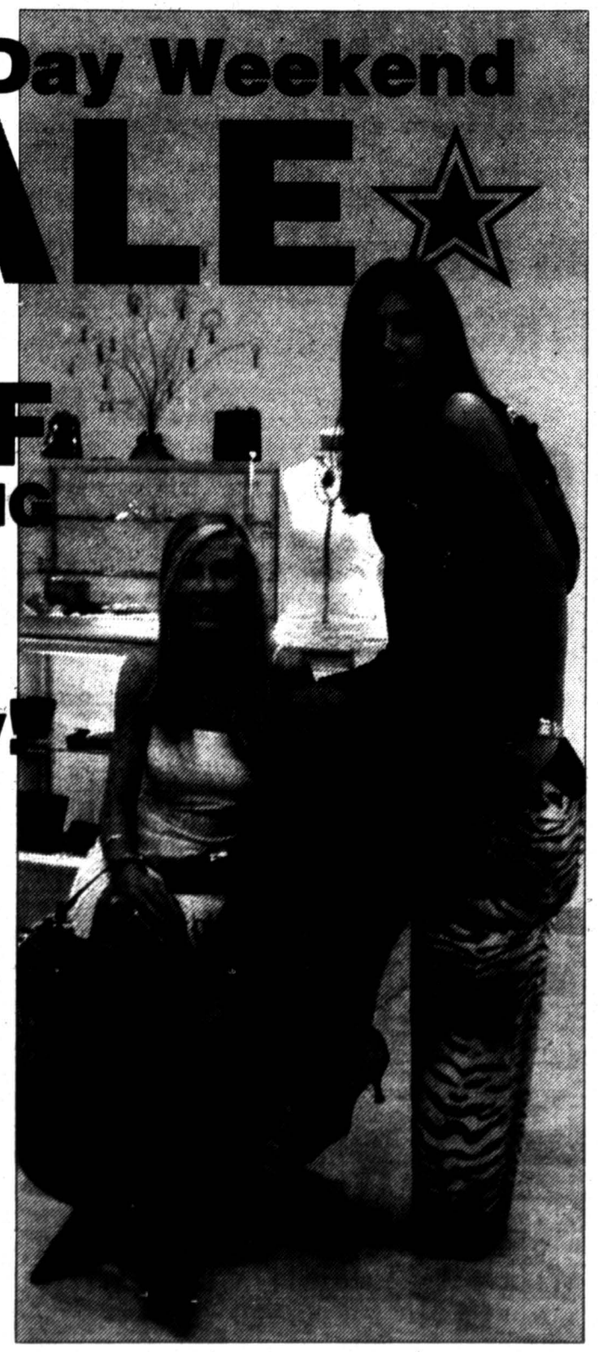

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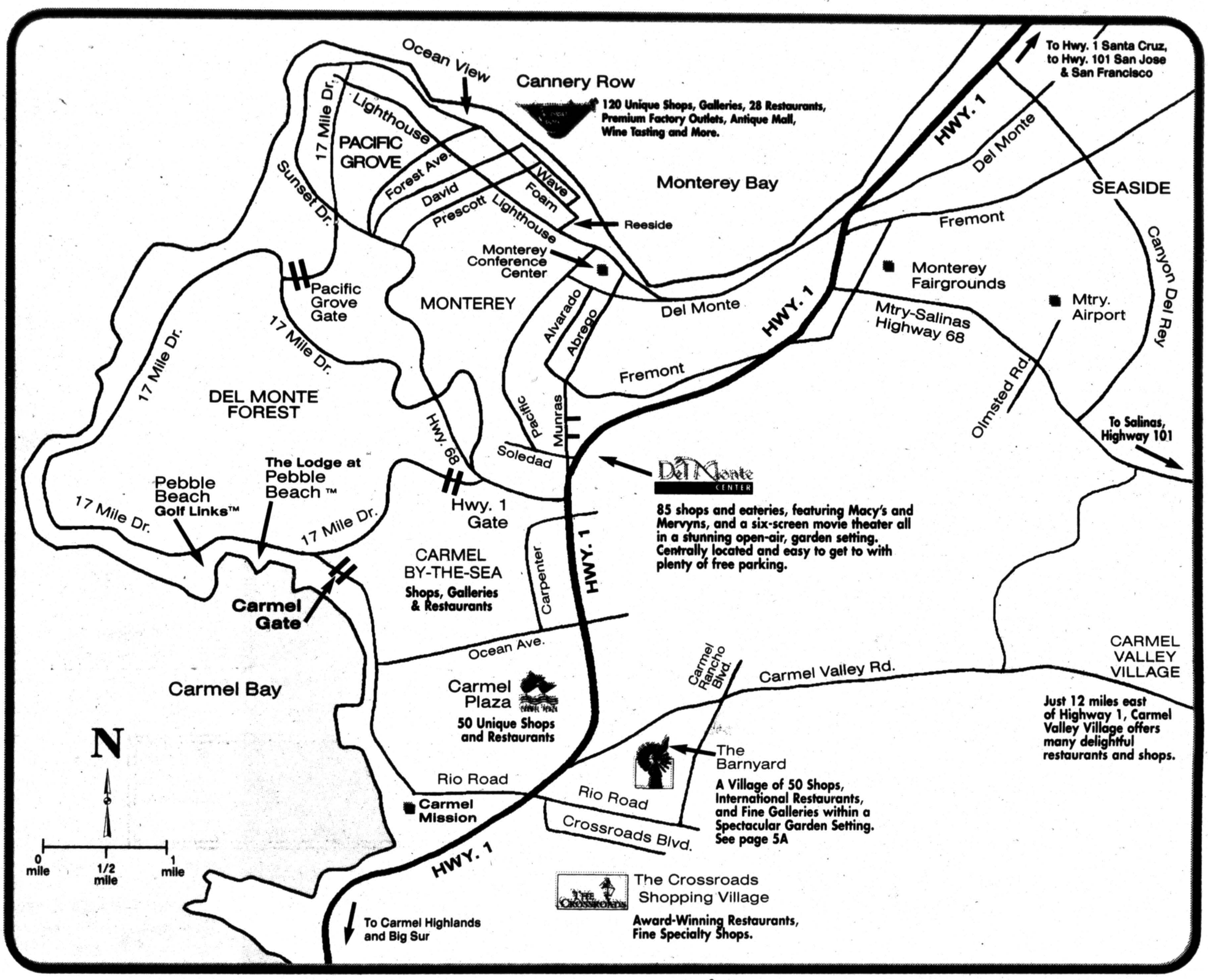

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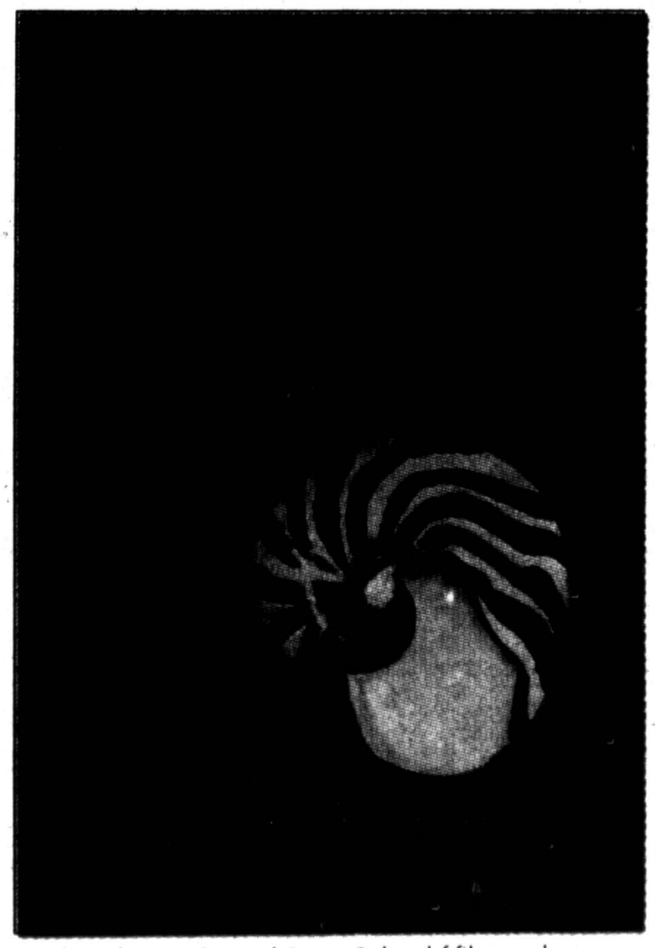
Carmel Art Festival names winners

HONOR AND money await winners of the 2003 Carmel Art Festival, as well as its competition for students, the Carmel Youth Art Show. Both events took place May 15-18 in Carmel-by-the Sea.



Carl Padover, Carmel River School fifth grader, won the best painting Best of Show award in the Carmel Youth Art Show.

2003 Carmel Art Festival winners
First prize, $5,000, **Pang Yen Chou**
Second, $2,500, **Randall Sexton**
Third, $1,000, **Ray Carpenter**
Best local, $750, **William Hook**
Best on paper, $750, **Bill Hosner**
Best of oil or acrylic, $750, **Logan Hagege**
People's choice, $750, **Barry Marshall**
Artists' choice, $750, **Ray Robert**

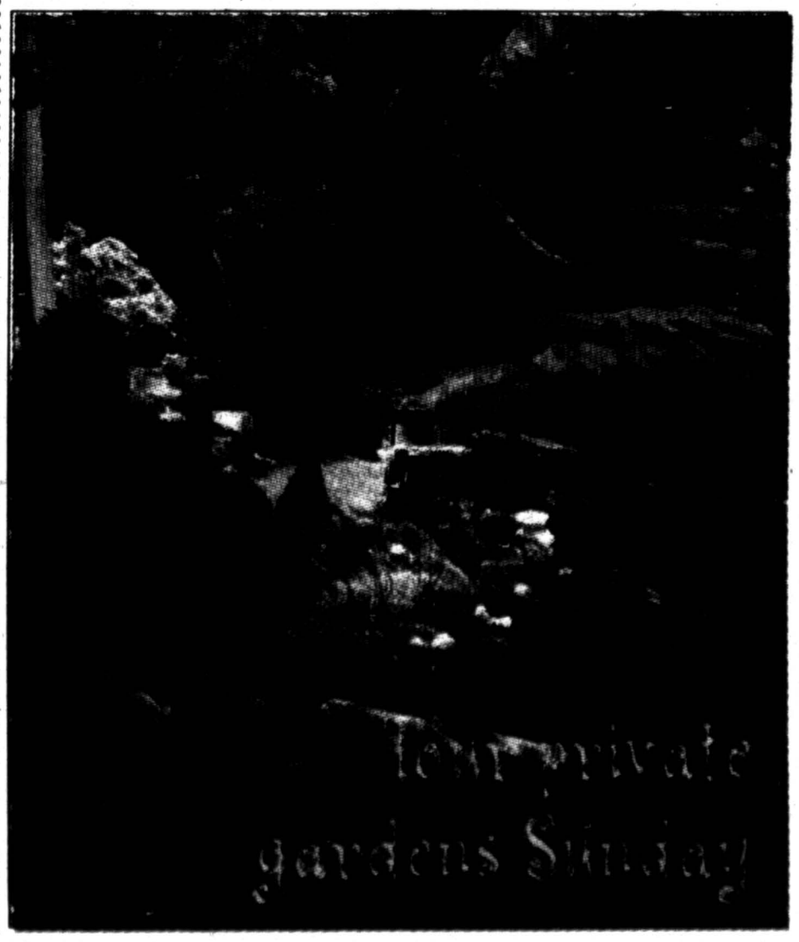
Carmel Youth Art Show
Best painting, **Carl Padover**, Carmel River School, fifth grade
Best watercolor, **Knowl Baek**, Robert Louis Stevenson, 12th grade
Best drawing, **Renee Young**, Robert Louis Stevenson, 11th grade
Best pastel, **Jessica Kim**, Robert Louis Stevenson, 12th grade
Best of photography, **Eric Howard**, Robert Louis Stevenson, 12th grade
Best of mixed media, **Ariana Leek**, Tularcitos School, third grade
Best of sculpture, **Sean Tang**, 12th grade, Robert Louis Stevenson

Scholarship awards
Kristin Setliff, Carmel Valley High, Hank Ketcham Scholarship, $1,500
Knowl Baek, Robert Louis Stevenson, Thomas Kinkade Scholarship, $1,000
Eric Neimy, Carmel High, Billie DiMonaco Scholarship, $1,000

See films under the stars

FILMS IN the Forest debuts its new season this weekend. The 1950 drama about Hollywood, "Sunset Boulevard," plays Friday, May 23. "Lover Come Back," a Doris Day comedy classic from 1961, screens Saturday, May 24, and "Caddyshack," the 1980 golfing comedy, will be shown Sunday, May 25.

Presented by the Forest Theater Guild, all movies begin at dusk in the Outdoor Forest Theater, Mountain View and Santa Rita, Carmel-by-the-Sea. Admission is $5 and everyone is advised to dress warmly. Info: www.foresttheaterguild.org



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Hospice founder 'Beau of the Ball'

THIS YEAR'S gala **Hospice Foundation** ball at Spanish Bay, **"Pizzazz,"** featured the first **"Heart of Hospice Award"** . . . Not surprisingly, it was given to Hospice co-founder, oncologist **Dr. Jerome Rubin**. "With advances in medicine, the line between end-of-life care and treatment of terminal illnesses is starting to blur," said Dr. Rubin. A normally very self-effacing person, the attention given him was made more bearable with the attendance of his daughter, **Dr. Nancy Rubin** who, to his and his wife **Suellen's** delight, will be joining his & **Dr. Tom Bradley's** practice this summer. Also present was another co-founder from 26 years ago, **Becky Allen**, Dr. Rubin's longtime right hand. Rubin "groupies" **Scott Thurston** and **Marcie Levin** were also there, along with Dr. Rubin's cousins from La Jolla, **Norman & Toby Eisenberg** . . . Board member **Abbie Eldredge** had doc hubby **Gene** along. "End of life issues are important," she said. "Everyone has a right to die peacefully and without pain" . . . **Drs. John & June Phillips** were guests of board member **Diane Rossi**, who for once is doing the sweet-talking for June to join the board, instead of the other way around. "What goes around, comes around," quipped Diane, referring to the way June persuades people to volunteer . . . **Michael & Linda Dorn** chatted about family members **Joe & Judy Heslin's** (who missed the event) move down south . . . **Thompson Lange**, owner of Homescapes and native Carmelite, recalled when his grandmother died: "We were so thankful for the Hospice support here," he said . . . The foundation group has evolved over the years from being a Hospice fundraiser, to now fundraising for all local end-of-life care providers . . . Others seen: **Chris & Cyrann Castle** who had decorated the tables, **Rick Kennifer** &

*See **SISSI** page 19A*

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The Hospice Foundation's honoree at the gala ball was Hospice co-founder Dr. Jerome Rubin, who joined another long-time supporter, emeritus board member Helen Westland.

Lee Whitney, Chris Castle, Susan Turner, Chris' wife Cyrann, Beryl Smith, and Thompson Lange were part of the glamorous crowd that gathered for the Hospice Foundation ball.

. . . and, by the way, . . .

Pine Needles

By Sissi Maleki

MOST PEOPLE'S fantasies probably involve being able to sit back and have a zillion servants waiting on them hand and foot.

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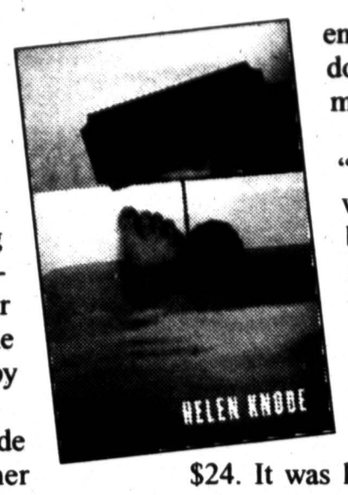
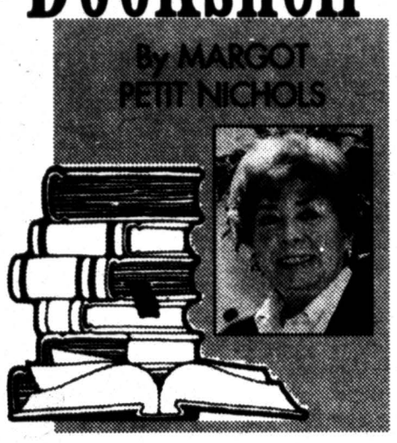
Knode's first crime novel debuts with a corpse in the bathtub

FORMER HOLLYWOOD film critic and newspaper columnist **Helen Knode** and her bestselling crime fiction novelist husband James Ellroy ("Black Dahlia," "L.A. Confidential") are still settling into their Carmel home which has been undergoing renovation. Coming to Carmel was "serendipity," according to Knode, who said she and her husband vacationed here in 1999 to get out of the heat of their home in Kansas. They decided to move to the Monterey Peninsula last summer and are happy about that decision.



The Bookshelf

By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS



Helen Knode will make her first public appearance here at an afternoon gathering on Sunday, June 1, at The Church of the Wayfarer, sponsored by Friends of the Harrison Memorial Library. The 2 p.m. talk will center around her debut crime novel, **"The Ticket Out,"** which blends fact (she has inside knowledge of the movie industry), with fiction (her protagonist — a sardonic, burned-out film critic for an alternative L.A. weekly — hunts down the killer of a Hollywood hopeful found dead in the critic's bathtub). Catch the cover: It's a chilling photo of a foot periscoping from a tub full of water.

Knode's writing style is terse and perfectly suited to the noir genre she has chosen. She tips her hat to Dashiell Hammett for this. The style also suits her protagonist's disenchantment with the violent, special effects-dominated modern movies created to cater to male fantasies. This is no Miss Marple cozy.

For those readers who will come away from "Ticket" hoping for a sequel by this excellent writer, be of good cheer. You will have a new book to look forward to with the same protagonist. "The second book will pick up about ten minutes after the first leaves off," she said, explaining that she signed a two-book contract with her publisher.

"The Ticket Out" is a 340-page hardcover published by Harcourt, Inc., and retails for $24. It was launched in January at the Pacific Dining Car restaurant west of downtown L.A., and was attended by the likes of Bruce Willis and David Duchovny. It is available at most local bookshops.

The talk is free and will be followed by refreshments in the church library. Church of the Wayfarer is located on the corner of Lincoln and Seventh, Carmel-by-the-Sea.

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ROBERT STONE has done it again: His latest hiking book, **"Day Hikes Around Big Sur,"** describes 80 great trails along our unequaled coastal headlands, through such natural wonderlands as Point Lobos State Reserve, whose nine hikes take in Granite Point and Moss Cove trails all the way to South Plateau and the Mound Meadow loop; four Garrapata State Park hikes; Rocky Point to Point Sur — Palo Colorado Road, and Old Coast Road; State Parks Andrew Molera, Pfeiffer Big Sur, and Julia Pfeiffer Burns; and Garland Ranch Regional Park; interior Big Sur including Carmel Valley Road, Tassajara Road and Arroyo Seco Road, Nacimiento, Ferguson Road and Central Coast Road; Silver Peak Wilderness, and South Big Sur Coast's nature and cliff-side trails and Ragged Point.

The author includes such highlights as isolated beaches, tidepools, redwood groves, canyons, waterfalls, lighthouses and outstanding panoramic views. And there are maps of every trail — a prodigious task in and of itself.

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And yes, Robert Stone has hiked each and every trail. This personal, thorough investigation of the trails is what sets Stone's books apart: You can trust his descriptions and instructions. He comments, "From a leisurely walk to a vertical climb, you'll experience Big Sur to its fullest by exploring on foot."

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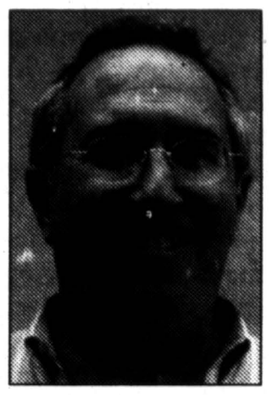

Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

SATURDAY, MAY 24, Mississippi blues guitarist **Johnny Rawls** makes a rare Monterey appearance at Sly McFly's on Cannery Row . A sideman to many of the legends of blues including Little Johnny Taylor, Z.Z. Hill and O.V. Wright, Rawls is on the road promoting his latest CD, "Lucky Man." Music starts at 9 p.m. Call 649-8050 for more information.

The outdoor music festival season, which unofficially began with the Big Sur JazzFest, continues this Memorial Day weekend (May 24-25) as the Old Monterey Business Association presents their **Third Annual Red White & A Little Blues Festival** featuring vendors, food booths and entertainment on two stages situated on opposite ends of Alvarado Street in downtown Monterey. Performing on the western end of Alvarado on Saturday and Sunday, respectively, will be **John "Broadway" Tucker** and **Red Beans & Rice**. Performing on the other end of Alvarado Street are contemporary pop musicians **Coco Beat** on Saturday and the Latin sounds of the **Chicano All Stars** on Sunday. The event is free and open to all. For more information, check out the Old Monterey Business Association's website at www.oldMonterey.org

Other upcoming concerts to jot down on your calendar include the City of Seaside's annual **International Extravaganza** and the **SSP ninth annual Concerts By the Bay Summer Series**. Featuring international entertainment, ethnic foods plus arts and crafts, the International Extravaganza takes place this year on Saturday, May 31 and Sunday, June 1 at Seaside City Hall. It will feature headliners **Joe Louis Walker** and his **Boss Talkers** plus '60s Woodstock and Monterey Pop Festival performers **Canned Heat**. Admission is free.

BOOKSHELF

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reviewed with enthusiasm in this column in the past. He serves as writer, photographer and publisher of the series, and has the best of all possible worlds, living summers in the Rocky Mountains of Montana near Red Lodge, and winters here on the Central Coast during which times he and his wife Linda drop by The Pine Cone newsroom to say hi.

The 184-page trade soft cover is available at local book stores and retails for $14.95.

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THE LITERARY Circle at Monterey Public Library continues reading, reading, reading. The group will be discussing **"Kristin Lavransdatter: Part I The Wreath"** by Nobel Prize-winning novelist **Sigrid Undset** at 7 p.m., Thursday, May 29 in Monterey's Emergency Operations Center, across Pacific Street from the library, and behind the fire station. Read the book and join facilitators **Stuart** and **Paula Walzer** as they lead the group discussion. Newcomers, 16 and up, are always welcome. Admission is free. For information, call Kim Bui-Burton at 646-3477.

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Finally, a canvas big enough for Carmel's art collection

By ANNE PAPINEAU

THE CHALLENGE of selecting city art works that will be showcased in the freshly renovated Sunset Center is now being addressed by the Carmel Art Board.

This five-member appointed group toured Sunset Center in hard hats to assess the huge amount of wall space available to display paintings currently in storage or hanging elsewhere in town. CAB members are Belinda Holliday, chair; Nancy Wright, vice chair; Eleen Auvil; Ed Lohmann and Margot Petit Nichols.

At its meeting May 20, CAB members voted to retain the services of Amy Essick, who has inventoried and appraised much of Carmel's city-owned art. Essick began this project after the city took over the task begun by the Committee for Art in Public Places, the group that preceded CAB and which was dissolved in August. Works yet to be inventoried are housed at the Park Branch of Harrison Memorial Library and include a collection of Edward Weston photographs.

CAB members must choose artwork for both the public areas of Sunset Theater as well as within the conductor's and green rooms. CAB will also choose historic and progressive renovation photographs of Sunset Theater to hang on the "History Wall" of the promenade along the west side of the theater.

CAB meets next on Tuesday, June 17.

Hard-hatted members of the Carmel Art Board met at Sunset Theater to consider placement of public art there — from left: Ed Lohmann, program supervisor Christie Miller, Nancy Wright, Margot Petit Nichols and Belinda Holliday. CAB member Eleen Auvil was not present for the photograph.

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A LA CARTE

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on our next visit.

After the symphony on Sunday evening, we ordered roast sirloin of beef ($14.95). It arrived at table, nicely plated: ample slices of garlic-stuffed roast sirloin of beef served exactly as we had requested — medium rare — accompanied by a creamy horseradish sauce. Fresh, brightly colored *al dente* broccoli flowerettes, carrots, and squash came with a choice of rice pilaf, garlic mashed potatoes or herb-roasted potatoes.

Our dinner companion ordered pan-roasted bistro chicken ($15.95) which we marveled over when it was served in all its rich, mahogany-colored splendor. Again, the chicken was flavorful, moist and tender on the inside and wonderfully crispy on the outside.

Chef Bernie generously let us in on his secret recipe: He pan roasts a whole chicken with herbs, then lets it stand, later splits it in half, brushes each half with butter, then roasts it some more. Before serving, he makes a red wine reduction incorporated with demi-glace (a rich brown sauce with Madeira or sherry reduced to a thick glaze), and coats the chicken with it.

Bernie started in the restaurant trade at the old Carmel Cafe as a dishwasher while a junior at Monterey High, but soon showed an interest and talent for prep work, baking and cooking. His career took off, according to Herb, and when they closed the cafe, Bernie went on to The Inn at Spanish Bay as a sous chef, working under Pascal Rifflart in the banquet kitchens.

A division of duties finds the owners doing their own thing: Midge makes the desserts, Leslee oversees the interior decor, flowers and menu design, while Melinda handles computer and office business and assists in the dining room as a hostess.

The wine list is small and select, a mixture of Monterey County, Napa and Sonoma Valley wines, all selected after wine tastings by Chef Bernie. Per glass costs range from $5 to $9.50, while full bottles run from $20 for a Beringer white Zinfandel, to $54 for a Turnbull Cabernet Sauvignon. Port, sherry and single malt Scotch Whisky, Cognacs and brandies are available, as are six specialty martinis, and domestic, imported and draft beer. And of course there is Kim's full bar. Coffee specialties are also available.

Leslee formerly owned and managed The Cubby Hole interiors shop which was located next door to Toots Lagoon. She brought along several important *pique assiette* pieces to decorate Lucy's, as well as Kathleen Caid vintage lamps with antique shades, and a MacKenzie-Childs large ceramic-legged table. The combined front of house and bar accommodate 50 patrons, while a commodious banquet room in the back will seat another 50.

The dining room layout is thoughtful, providing open seating or secluded nooks, so when you call for a reservation, it's best to specify which you prefer.

Dick Crispo lectures at CAA May 28

NOTED REGIONAL artist and art historian Dick Crispo will inform his audience "What's New in California Art" at 7 p.m., Wednesday, May 28 at the Carmel Art Association, Dolores between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Carmel-by-the-Sea. He will explore the art world beyond the Monterey Peninsula, illustrating how local artists have been influenced. The lecture is presented free of charge, with no reservations necessary. Refreshments will be served.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20030997. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **CARMEL VALLEY GUEST HOME,** 200 W. Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. IROTILDE (RUTH) BRAVO-MADAMBA, 200 W. Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on Dec. 23, 1987. (s) Irotilde (Ruth) Bravo-Madamba. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on May 1, 2003. Publication dates: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2003. (PC 505)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20030923. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **JOE'S GUIDE SERVICE,** 8620 Berta Canyon Ct., Salinas, CA 93907. JOSEPH W. McCARTHY, 8620 Berta Canyon Ct., Salinas, CA 93907. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on June 1, 1995. (s) Joseph W. McCarthy. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 23, 2003. Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC 507)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20031019. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as:
1. PENINSULA CUSTOM HARVESTING
2. PENINSULA FARMS
767 Andalucia Drive, Soledad, CA 93960. JOSE LUIS RUELAS, 767 Andalucia Drive, Soledad, CA 93960. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on May 5, 2003. (s) Jose Luis Ruelas. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on May 5, 2003. Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003.. (PC 508)

CITY COUNCIL
ORDINANCE NO. 2003-04

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA ADOPTING THE 2000 UNIFORM FIRE CODE AND AMENDING CHAPTER 8.32 OF THE CARMEL MUNICIPAL CODE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section One. Chapter 8.32 of the Municipal Code of the Carmel-by-the-Sea is amended in its entirety as shown in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein.

Section Two. Severability. If any section, subsection, or part of a subsection of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unenforceable, all other sections, subsections, or part of subsections of this Ordinance shall remain valid and enforceable.

Section Three. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its final passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA this 6th day of May 2003, by the following roll call vote:
AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: Ely, Hazdovac, Livingston, Rose, McCloud
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None
SIGNED: Sue McCloud, Mayor
ATTEST: Karen Crouch, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A
1. All Sections of Chapter 8.32 of the Carmel Municipal Code that reference the "1997 Uniform Fire Code" shall now reference the "2000 Uniform Fire Code."

All other portions of this chapter shall remain.
Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC 509)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20030907. The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **MING PALACE INC.,** 1116-A Forest Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. MING PALACE INC., 1116-A Forest Ave., Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on April 21, 2003. (s) Stacey Tsui. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 21, 2003. Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC 511)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20031047 The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **SUNDAY DRIVE,** 73 E. Garzas Road, Carmel Valley, CA 93924; P.O. Box 873. SUNDAY COLLINS, 73 E. Garzas Road, Carmel Valley, CA 93924; P.O. Box 873. TAMAR COLLINS, 614 Larkin, Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by co-partners. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on May 1, 2003. (s) Sunday Collins. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on May 3, 2003. Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC 515)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
CITY COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. 2003-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA ADOPTING THE 2001 CALIFORNIA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE VOLUMES 1 & 2 AND ALL APPENDIX CHAPTERS; 2001 CALIFORNIA BUILDING STANDARDS CODE; 2001 CALIFORNIA BUILDING STANDARDS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE; 2001 CALIFORNIA ENERGY CODE; 2001 CALIFORNIA PLUMBING, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL CODES; AND AMENDMENTS TO TITLE 15 OF THE CARMEL MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, every three years there are revisions made to the California Uniform Codes necessitating local amendments; and

WHEREAS, upon adoption of these codes by the State of California, the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea is obligated to amend local sections of the Municipal Code to maintain local conformance and adhere to State Law; and

WHEREAS, each year of adoption the City has updated the Municipal Code to meet the conditions of our unique community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section One: Except as provided herein, the Uniform Codes listed in the Title of this Ordinance are hereby adopted by reference.

Section Two: The amendments contained in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and made a part hereof, are adopted as local amendments to the Uniform Codes listed in the Title of this Ordinance and adopted as part of Chapter 15 of the Carmel-by-the-Sea Municipal Code.

Section Three: Severability: If any part of this Ordinance, even as small as a word or phrase, is found to be unenforceable such a finding shall not affect the enforceability of any other part.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA this 6th day of May 2003, by the following roll call vote:
AYES: COUNCIL MEMBER: Ely, Hazdovac, Livingston, Rose, McCloud
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBER: None
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBER: None
SIGNED: Sue McCloud, Mayor
ATTEST: Karen Crouch, City Clerk

AMENDMENTS TO TITLE 15 OF THE CARMEL MUNICIPAL CODE

– All sections of Title 15 that reference the "1998 California/ Uniform Codes" shall now reference the "*2001 California/Uniform Codes*".
– All sections of Title 15 that reference the "1998 California Electric Code" shall now reference the "2001 California Electric Code", based on the "1999 National Electric Code".
– Section 15.08.070
Section 503 Amended-Building Requirements Section 503 of the California/Uni-form Building Code is amended by ***adding*** the following:
Section 503.2.1...General. Buildings or structures hereafter erected, constructed or moved within a commercial zone less than three feet from adjacent property lines or less than six feet from buildings on the same property, the exterior walls shall be of a minimum of two-hour construction.
– Section 15.08.080...Table. Change table and verbiage to read:

A	Not permitted less than 3'; protected less than 6'
E	Not permitted less than 3'; protected less than 6'.
I	Not permitted less than 3'; protected less than 6'.
B	Not permitted less than 3'; protected less than 6'
M	Not permitted less than 3'; protected less than 6'.
R	Not permitted less than 3'.

For the purpose of this section "protected" openings shall mean wire glass non-operable windows and solid core 1æ" rated self-closing fire doors.

Exception: For garages in the R-1 Land Use Zone serving a single family dwelling where located less than 3' to property line doors may meet the requirements of the UBC for firedoors in dwellings.
– Section 15.08.130 Section 904 Amended-Automatic Fire Systems. Amend this section to read the same as Chapter 8.32 Fire Code section of the Carmel Municipal Code.
– Section 15.08.140 Section 904.2.2 Amended-Automatic Fire Systems. Amend this section to read the same as Chapter 8.32 Fire Code section of the Carmel Municipal Code.
– Section 15.08.170 Chapter 33 Amended-Dumping and/or Disposal. Amend the current Code Section to include the following:
The dumping and/or disposal of all construction debris, demolition materials and/or all/or any other materials considered as waste shall be done in accordance with current Federal, State and County recycling laws and ordinances in effect at the time a permit is issued.
All other portions of this section shall remain.
– Section 15.20.040 Section 913.0 Amended-Floor Furnaces. Section 913.1 of the 2001 California/Uniform Mechanical Code is amended to read as follows:
Section 913.1 Placement. The installation of any floor furnace in any new building is prohibited. Existing floor furnaces shall not be replaced, altered or changed so as to be thermostatically controlled. (Exception: repairs and servicing for safety)

Publication dates: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC 510)

TRUSTEE SALE NO. 1051841-08
ORDER NO. 95735

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
APN:006-261-003-000
TRA: 004000
LOAN NO: 100951722
REF: VALDERRAMA, SUSAN UNVER

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER:

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED FEBRUARY 28, 2002. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On **June 12, 2003, at 10:00am, CAL-WESTERN RECONVEYANCE CORPORATION,** as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded **March 12, 2002**, as Inst. No. **2002023997**, in book XX, page XX, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of **MONTEREY** County, State of **CALIFORNIA** executed by:
ERIC B LIITTSCHWAGER AND SUSANA VALDERRAMA, HUSBAND AND WIFE
WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE:
AT THE MAIN (SOUTH) ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, (FACING THE COURTYARD OFF CHURCH ST.) 240 CHURCH STREET, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA
all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: COMPLETELY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST.

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be:
210 Monterey Avenue
Pacific Grove, ca 93950

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.

Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust to wit:

$345,655.48 with interest thereon from **October 01, 2002 @** 10.500% per annum as provided in said note(s) plus cost and any advances with interest. ESTIMATED TOTAL DEBT: **$373,943.47.**

The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.
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525 EAST MAIN STREET
P.O. BOX 22004
EL CAJON, CA 92022-9004
Dated: May 22, 2003
(s) Rhonda Rorie

Publication Dates: May 23, 30, June 6, 2003. (PC506)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20031076 The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **TOM REDFERN & ASSOCIATES,** 26350 Carmel Rancho Lane, Suite 210, Carmel, Ca 93923. THOMAS WILLIAM REDFERN, 25620 Hatton Road, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by an individual. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on June 1976. (s) Thomas W. Redfern. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on May 14, 2003. Publication dates: May 23, 30, 30, June 6, 13, 2003. (PC 514)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Ordinance No. 2003-06 amending Carmel-by-the-Sea Municipal Code Title 9 - Public Peace, Morals and Welfare by amending existing provisions contained in Title 9 and adding Section 9.16.050, to exempt the Sunset Community and Cultural Center Theater from Sections 9.16.020, 9.16.030, and 9.16.040 to allow the serving and consumption of alcoholic beverages.

PURPOSE: To review and consider Ordinance.
ZONING DISTRICT: A-2
COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: exempt
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: June 3, 2003
TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.
PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

Any court action made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this (these) proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council, Forest and Beach Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said Hearing and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.
(s) Karen Crouch, City Clerk
DATED: May 15, 2003

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Publication dates: May 23, 2003. (PC516)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Resolution No. 2003-73 adopting an amendment ot the General Plan incorporating and adopting a Local Coastal Land Use Plan.

PURPOSE: To adopt an amendment to the General Plan incorporating and adopting a Local Coastal Land Use Plan.
ZONING DISTRICT: N/A
COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: exempt
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: June 3, 2003
TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.
PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.
(s) Karen Crouch, City Clerk
DATED: May 15, 2003

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Publication dates: May 23, 2003. (PC517)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Design Study (Concept and Final Review) and Use Permit applications for the rehabilitation of, and a second-story addition to, an existing, historic, one-story single-family residence with a proposed exception to the ridge height standard under Track Three Design Review. The structure is located on the west side of Carmelo between Second and Fourth Avenues. Property owner is James Van Loben Sels.

PURPOSE: To review project and provide direction.
ZONING DISTRICT: R-1/Archaeological significance (as) overlay district
COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: exempt (class 31)
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: June 3, 2003
TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.
PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

Any court action made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this (these) proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council, Forest and Beach Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said Hearing and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.
(s) Karen Crouch, City Clerk
DATED: May 15, 2003

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Publication dates: May 23, 2003. (PC518)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 20031103 The following person(s) is(are) doing business as: **IMS PARTNERSHIP,** 450 Webster Street, Monterey, CA 93940. ANTHONY J. PALMA, 68 Alta Mesa Circle, Monterey, CA 93940. CRAIG A. LANGKAMP, 27000 Encinal Road, Salinas, CA 93908. GEOFFREY D. LANGKAMP, 27000 Encinal Road, Salinas, CA 93908. This business is conducted by a general partnership. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on May 15, 2003. (s) Craig A. Langkamp. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on May 19, 2003. Publication dates: May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 2003. (PC 520)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Ordinance No. 2003-07 authorizing an amendment to the Contract between the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System to provide for Section 20903 (Two Years Additional Service Credit). (First Reading)

PURPOSE: To review and consider amendment.
ZONING DISTRICT: n/a
COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: n/a
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: June 3, 2003
TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly thereafter.
PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues.

Any court action made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this (these) proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council, Forest and Beach Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said Hearing and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.
(s) Karen Crouch, City Clerk
DATED: May 20, 2003

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Publication dates: May 23, 2003. (PC521)

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Cavaliers bring in $1,300 for Animal Friends Pet Rescue

MORE THAN 50 King Charles Cavalier spaniels gathered on Carmel Beach on April 26 for fun, frivolity, fellowship and a fundraiser for Animal Friends Pet Rescue. More than $1,300 was raised, according to the event planners, Janet McTurk and her spaniel Lilly. A video of the frenetic gathering was taped, and will be available soon for purchase, with proceeds to go to AFAR. For information, call Janet or Lilly at 626-6524.

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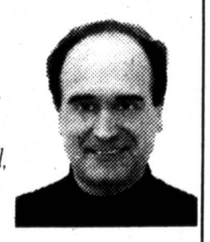

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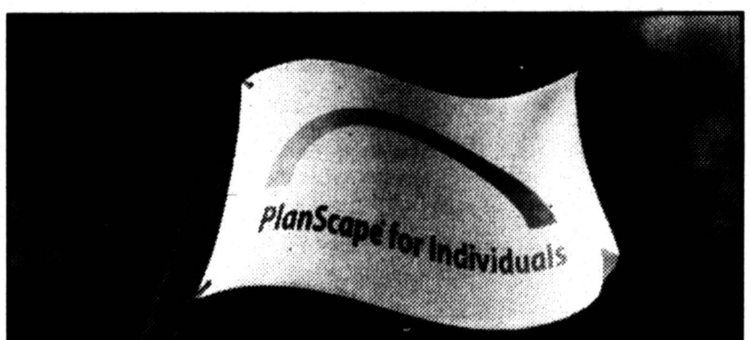

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SB 149

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the Senate Local Government Committee's unanimous May 7 vote to pass it.

The Senator proposed the bill at the request of local mayors after voters overwhelmingly approved a November 2002 ballot measure recommending the water district be dissolved.

'Aggravated and upset'

Despite that vote, the water board majority argued Monday night that replacing them with mayors would be "anti-democratic." In voting to spend $30,000 of the public's money on Sacramento lobbyist Alan Edelstein, the directors said their goal is to preserve voters' rights, not to protect their own positions of authority.

"It aggravates me. It upsets me. If Senator McPherson and the mayors had any integrity, they would put this [SB 149] to a vote," said director Molly Erickson, who described the bill as having "major anti-democratic repercussions statewide."

She rattled off a litany of groups — including the League of Women Voters, the Sierra Club, Ralph Nader's Public Citizen and the Association of California Water Agencies — which oppose it.

Her comments came toward the end of the MPWMD's May 19 board meeting, when directors began discussing general manager Fran Farina's recommendation to hire the lobbyist.

But many in the audience that night, representing business groups and water users, opposed the expenditure.

"It may not be illegal, but it certainly is unethical," Monterey County Association of Realtors Government Affairs Director Sheryl McKenzie told the board. "Senate Bill 149 does not make the district go away, but it does change the way it's formed, so it seems, in effect, you're hiring a lobbyist to keep your jobs."

In addition to replacing the board, the bill would do away with the requirement that voters approve any water project. According to the report drafted by the chair of the Senate Local Government Committee, none of the other 3,400 special districts in the state require voter approval for public projects.

Those changes constitute a threat to the entire democratic process, according to critics of the bill.

"I have heard from the voters that they felt duped," director Judi Lehman said. "They are having things taken away from them, including the right to participate in the approval and funding of water projects."

Director David Pendergrass disagreed. "SB 149 does not dilute the power of the voters — what it proposes is to have elected officials on that board who very much know what voters want."

But even some who oppose the bill, including director Alvin Edwards, cautioned against hiring a lobbyist.

"I'll be voting no for the simple fact that I don't believe in using the money to fight SB 149," Edwards said. "I'm against it too, because to put other elected officials up here, people should do it through the election process. If my people in the City of Seaside don't want me up here, they can vote me out."

In his report to the board, district counsel Dave Laredo said hiring lobbyists with public money is legal and quite common.

Resident Alan Samuels concurred. "Taxpayer dollars are used for lobbying all the time, every day. Every consumer in this country is paying a lobbyist."

But not every consumer in the district wants his money used to save it, Pendergrass pointed out, considering last November's vote. He said he found the idea of paying a lobbyist unethical and improper.

Erickson called Measure B "a mealy-mouthed advisory measure" which might have meant something had it asked voters if they wanted to give up their right to weigh in on water projects.

Director Zan Henson said the legislation is nothing more than a political ploy by those who have always wanted a dam on Carmel River but realize they can't get voter approval for it.

"I think SB 149 is to support a dam. You won't get the majority vote, so what do you do? You take away their votes," he said.

Voting to spend the $30,000 were Erickson, Lehman, Henson and Kris Lindstrom. Voting against were Pendergrass and Edwards. Director Dave Potter was absent. Edelstein's contract was signed the following day.

Lobbyist's mission

Farina told The Pine Cone Edelstein's mission "is either to defeat Senate Bill 149 or to amend it to preserve those democratic processes which are being eliminated by Senator McPherson."

Having a lobbyist will not only enable the board to keep informed, but will allow directors to know when they need to be in Sacramento and which statewide groups are their allies.

"So perhaps our voice will be heard better than it has so far," she said.

With the bill's 21-2 approval in the Senate — only Senators Sheila Kuehl and Tom McClintock voted no — the bill is bound for the Assembly. Legislative aide Janof said Assembly committees would likely begin discussing the bill in early June.

According to Assemblyman John Laird, the bill could be assigned to the natural resources committee, where he is a member, the local government committee, chaired by former county supervisor Simon Salinas, or the elections committee. "There are a number of issues SB 149 touches on," Laird said.

Wherever the bill goes next, Laird will play a key role in deciding whether it passes the Assembly. So far, he has remained studiously neutral on the issue, said Bob McKenzie, who campaigned for Measure B and has been closely watching the progress of SB 149. "He's been talking very much the way [former Assemblyman Fred] Keeley did," McKenzie said. "He says he just wants to make sure there's a solution to the water problem."

Although he has yet to take a position, Laird expressed concern about replacing an elected board with appointed officials. He also said the bill could distract voters from developing a new water project.

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FILMS

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just over $100,000. A second estimate cut that price by as much as $30,000.

The city has already applied for a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts, which would cover the costs of the movie equipment, according to Carmel Mayor Sue McCloud.

An answer from the NEA will probably be waiting on the federal budget, which has yet to be adopted, McCloud said. However, the city wouldn't have to wait on the feds if "someone steps forward locally," the mayor added.

Sayles believes the city should act quickly to install the movie equipment before Sunset opens to the public July 19 with the start of the 2003 Carmel Bach Festival.

"Sunset Center is going to be a state-of-the-art theater," Sayles said of the $21 million renovation. "It certainly should have a provision for film."

Sayles has even dreamed up an idea for the perfect fundraiser — a premiere of Clint Eastwood's latest movie, "Mystic River," which will be released this fall. Sayles encouraged the city to contact Eastwood and Warner Bros. to see if the idea will fly.

"But we can't do anything if we don't have the equipment," Sayles said.

The people decide

The newest survey of events at Sunset Center gathered earlier this spring shows many Carmel residents agree with Sayles. Of the 522 people who responded to the city's mail-in poll, 208 picked film as one of their top three choices for entertainment at Sunset.

Movies ranked behind music and live theater — which garnered 327 votes and 294 votes respectively — and beat out dance, which collected 196 votes.

"I was just amazed at how many people really did want films," said Lucia Dahlstrand, chairwoman of the Carmel Cultural Commission in charge of tallying the votes.

Sayles argued that adding films to the line-up at Sunset would attract more people to the state-of-the-art theater.

"It would take the facility out of the elitist category," Sayles said. "Not everybody can afford $20, $30, or $40 tickets" for live events.

He envisions screenings of such classics as "Lawrence of Arabia," "Gone with the Wind" and "Dr. Zhivago" and a Christmas time showing of "It's a Wonderful Life."

A Carmel Film Society could sponsor an Eastwood or Hitchcock film series or a film noir showcase. With the right equipment, the city could convince the movie studios to loan archival prints of classic films, Sayles suggested.

"This is the first time in 80 years we have not had a motion picture theater in Carmel," Sayles said, pointing to the closure last year of the Crossroads Cinema.

Once upon a time, Carmel residents had movie houses right here in town.

The last cinema in Carmel-by-the-Sea, the 408-seat Carmel Village Theater at Seventh and Dolores, closed its doors in 1995 after screening first-run films for 30 years.

Sayles doesn't see Sunset as a commercial film venue but rather for classics and special series, similar to the selections offered at the historic Stanford Theater in Palo Alto.

"There is nothing unique about what we're doing," Sayles said. "It's just that it's not being done here."

Commission: Sunset theatergoers should not be forced to forego cocktails

By MARY BROWNFIELD

PEDDLING BOOZE to the public at live performances is illegal in Carmel, but it should be allowed at Sunset Center, according to the planning commission. Commissioners voted last week to recommend the city council adopt a new ordinance exempting Sunset Center from some sections of the law on "public peace, morals and welfare."

According to the Carmel Municipal Code, it is illegal for anyone to hold a public dance "or any form of entertainment," or to play live instruments, anywhere alcohol is sold and served.

But Bach and Burgundy — or Baroque and Budweiser, for that matter — go together, the commission decided. Since Sunset Center "serves as host to dozens of public performances, including the annual Bach festival, which draw visitors from around the world," and "for many of the kinds of functions held at Sunset Center, it is customary to offer concessions, including alcoholic beverages," the theater should be exempt from the no-booze-and-live-entertainment laws.

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RESERVES

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The city has watched its health insurance and workers compensation payments grow considerably within the last year. In addition, the recently approved "3 percent at 50" retirement plan for police and firefighters is turning out to be even more expensive than anticipated.

In his presentation to the council, Guillen noted that Carmel's budget gap doesn't seem so bleak when compared to the shortfalls in neighboring cities.

Monterey faces a $2.6 million budget gap in 2003/2004; Pacific Grove's expected shortfall is $950,000, while Salinas is struggling to make up a $7.45 million deficit. The smaller, rural cities, including Soledad and Greenfield have to find a way to make up funding gaps of $863,000 and $225,000, respectively.

Pacific Grove is contemplating laying off seven city workers and has asked its employees if they will forgo a promised cost-of-living increase and accept a 3.5 percent cut in pay next year in order to balance the budget, according to finance director Pete Woodruff.

Carmel has been steadily building up its reserves since the recession of the early 1990s, when the city had to lay off staff in order to stay solvent. Since then, the city council has been able to avoid layoffs.

Nonetheless, the city's work force has shrunk by attrition over the last few years. Guillen noted a $557,000 savings from simply leaving positions open after employees quit or retired.

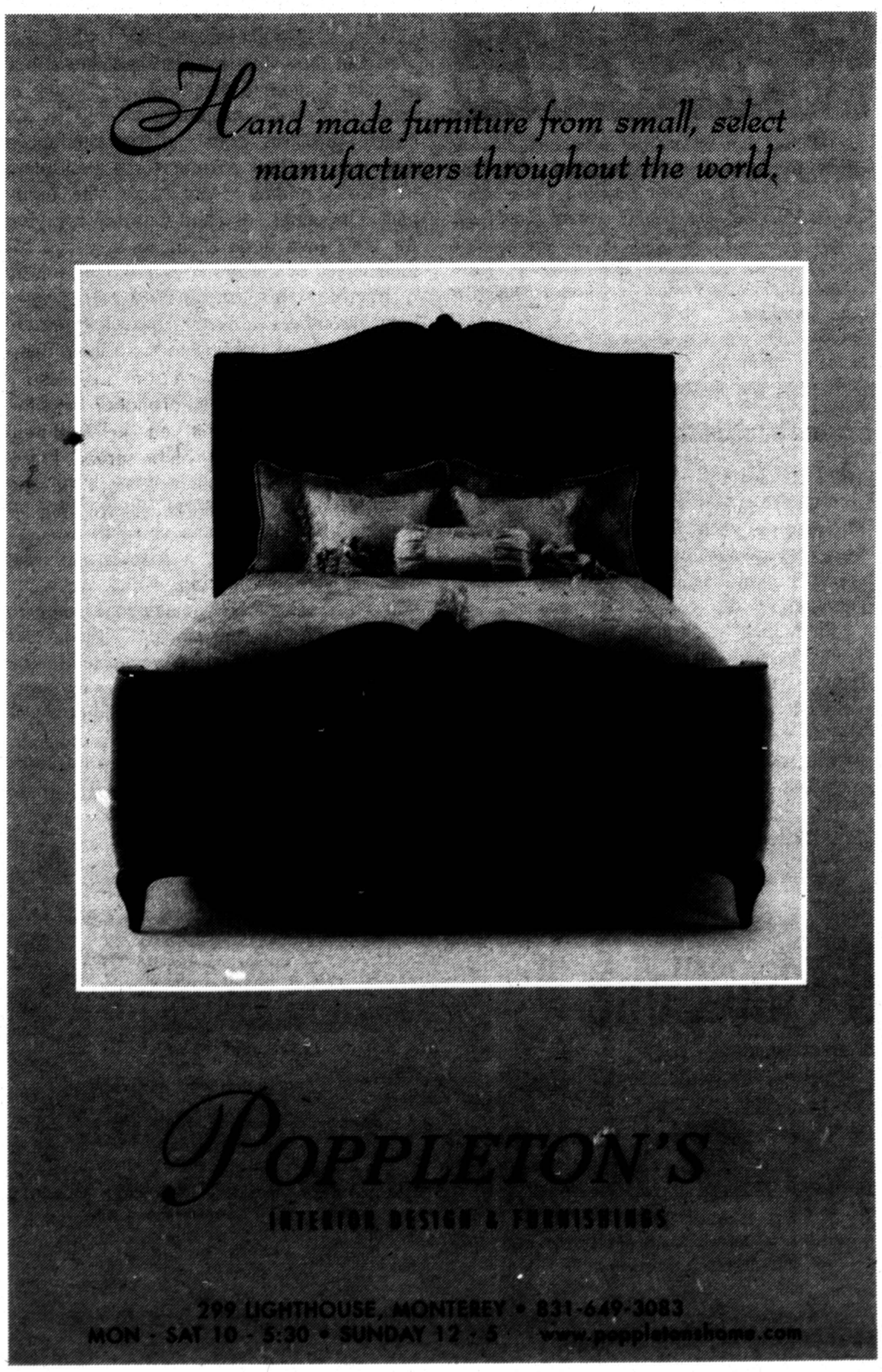
In recent months, Carmel Residents Association President Larry Rodocker and others have urged the council to consider raising hotel taxes, instituting a restaurant meal tax or charging a new property transfer tax. Two other proposals to raise money — with paid parking downtown or a business improvement district — haven't gone anywhere.

The paid parking idea was shelved after much public opposition. And the B.I.D. hasn't moved past its initial "protest hearing," which ended abruptly with the revelation that the hearing wasn't legally set up.

McCloud noted that Carmel's reserves of almost $8 million are "the envy of almost everyone in the county."

Economic tough times are "what reserves are for," the mayor said.

The council will hold its next hearing on the budget June 5.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OPINION

Editorial

Memo to John Laird

YOU'RE JUST in your first term, and we hate to put a lot of pressure on you. But the stand you take on SB 149 may be the most important thing you do in your entire political career where the people of the Monterey Peninsula are concerned.

This community has struggled for almost a decade with a dire, *ex officio* water shortage — ever since the Public Utilities Commission declared, at the behest of local environmentalists, that most of the water being pumped from the Carmel River was being taken illegally.

Since then, getting a water permit has been almost impossible. Extra bathrooms have been denied for growing families that need them. Businesses haven't been able to expand if their water use would increase at all (adding a table to a restaurant counts). Badly needed public projects are stuck on drawing boards. New homes haven't been built on legal lots of record, denying their owners any use of their land at all, and virtually no low-income housing has been built anywhere. One or two big landowners have figured out a way around the water shortage, but for the little guys it's been nada. Zilch. Zip.

And those citizens have been denied water despite all the rain we've had the past eight years. Just imagine how bad things will get when another drought hits.

The water board was supposed to come up with a water supply project to protect the community from rationing during a serious dry spell like the ones that hit in the late 1970s and 1980s. But instead of protecting us from a water shortage caused by a drought, all they've done is the opposite: We now have a water shortage that never goes away, no matter how much it rains!

Meanwhile, the illegal pumping from the Carmel River continues. And without a new water project, it will continue indefinitely — to the great detriment of the river's population of rare and endangered species. At least, that's what the PUC says.

At first, the water board's "no water" policy and its complete failure to eliminate overpumping from the river aroused little public opposition because, as long as the PUC didn't try to enforce its cutback order, most people were not affected. And the heavy rains have kept the river running, so it didn't seem to be such a parched habitat for the frogs and fish after all.

But as the years went by, public indignation at the do-nothing water board grew to such an extent that, last November, two-thirds of the voters (in a general election with a big turnout) said they wanted to do away with the board altogether.

Meanwhile, mayors and city councils have also become increasingly frustrated at the water board's usurpation of their power over land use decisions.

And, Mr. Laird, that's where you come in. A small but very vocal minority in this community will try to hornswoggle you into believing that SB 149 isn't good for the environment or the people you're supposed to be working for.

But the truth is completely different. Supporting SB 149 will be the quickest way to replace the water being taken illegally from the river. And it will be the *only* way for the people of the Monterey Peninsula to get the small amount of new water they need for their urgent personal and business needs.

BATES

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Letters to the Editor

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'No nothing' water board

Dear Editor,

Some of our Water District Board Members are starting to make "the gang that couldn't shoot straight" look like sharpshooters.

First, the "no nothing" members of the board, by their arrogant and pompous attitude, so alienated the community that the voters decided to do away with the district by a 2 to I margin. Having been thoroughly humiliated at the polls, these same board members decided they would keep their jobs if they could only buy the water company. So they floated the idea of putting a bond measure before the voters to buy Cal-Am. Hello! Is anyone listening in there?

Well they quickly saw how foolish that was. But they were not finished! Next they proudly exclaimed that they were going to build their own desal plant in Sand City. Of course this was after Cal-Am announced they were seeking permits for a desal plant in Moss Landing. Now comes the funny part. The people of Sand City are applying for their own desal plant so they can rid themselves of the radically political, totally ineffective water district. What makes these board members think that Sand City would even give them a permit to build their phantom desal plant?

But wait, we are not finished. Senator McPherson, carrying the voters' battle flag, introduced a bill in the state senate to keep the district, but eliminate direct elections. Totally ignoring the voters' wishes, the "no nothing" board members voted to use taxpayer monies to hire a lobbyist to fight Senator McPherson's bill. Folks, we voted you out because for 25 years people like you used our money capriciously without ever solving the problem you were elected to fix. And now you add insult to injury by using our money to stay in power in direct violation of our expressed wishes!! This mockery will only end when these arrogant buffoons are driven from the temple. And all along,

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yelling from the sidelines, is Fran Farina exclaiming that McPherson is ruining democracy. Let's be very clear about this. Representative government is not the purest form of democracy. The initiative, or direct vote of issues, is the purest form of democracy. The people of this community in a direct vote initiative decided to do away with the water district, overwhelmingly! Such an action is not the elimination of democracy. It is the highest standard of our democratic process. And so, to those members of the water district who simply cannot bring themselves to give up their power: The people have spoken. Get over it!

Chris Tescher, *Carmel*

State law mandates secrecy

Dear Editor:

I wanted to respond to a recent editorial in The Pine Cone (April 25, 2003, "Three Secrets That Shouldn't Be." The editorial seemed to suggest that perhaps some of our county agencies might be choosing to withhold important information from the public. As the county's current assessor/clerk recorder I can assure you that this is certainly not the case as far as our office is concerned.

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I want to thank The Pine Cone for enabling us to address publicly this important county issue.

Stephen L. Vagnini, *Monterey County Assessor/Clerk-Recorder*

'Barn door open'

Dear Editor,

Someone left the barn door open so all of our precious Carmel heritage has been slowly running away. Out to pasture! Too old, but not too late to save Flanders Mansion. Let the Foundation hear from you.

Margery Mann, Brie Tripp, *Carmel*

Will miss Douglas

Dear Editor:

Recently, I read the article about Sharron Douglas, principal of Carmel River School. As she retires I would like to add more praise for her.

I am a close neighbor of the school and have attended many meetings between the school and other neighbors. Sharron has always kept us informed of upcoming events, construction improvements or other changes which could increase parking noise levels. I know I will miss her contact and so will other neighbors.

Good luck to Sharron Douglas!

Mrs. Gerda Rayne, *Carmel*

'Best of the best'

Dear Editor:

Carmel-by-the-Sea suffered a great loss upon the recent death of Fred Keeble. He was "the best of the best."

Fred was a member of the Carmel-by-the-Sea Planning Commission for many years as well as serving the Monterey Peninsula in myriad other ways. Not only was Fred a fine architect, but he was also a modest gentleman who displayed a keen intelligence, a sparkling dry wit, and a strong sense of fairness.

He will be greatly missed by his many friends and admirers.

Sharon Lawrence, *Carmel*

TRESPASS

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Giffen's clients want the court to force Kelley to move his items, which have already been there three years, because otherwise he might be able to claim the right to stay. According to law, if a landowner has permitted others to use his land for an extended period of time, the owner could be forced to allow permanent access.

"Unless Kelley is compelled to remove the trespassing items from Palo Colorado's land, Palo Colorado will suffer irreparable injury in that a continuation of the trespass and/or encroach will ripen into prescriptive easement."

Reached at his Palo Colorado home last week, Kelley told The Pine Cone the group's allegations caught him by surprise.

"I've lived here for 12 years, and I don't know what they're talking about," he said. "I haven't heard anything about this."

Giffen said Kelley hadn't heard anything because no one could get through.

"He's been incommunicado with the association, despite several demands," Giffen said.

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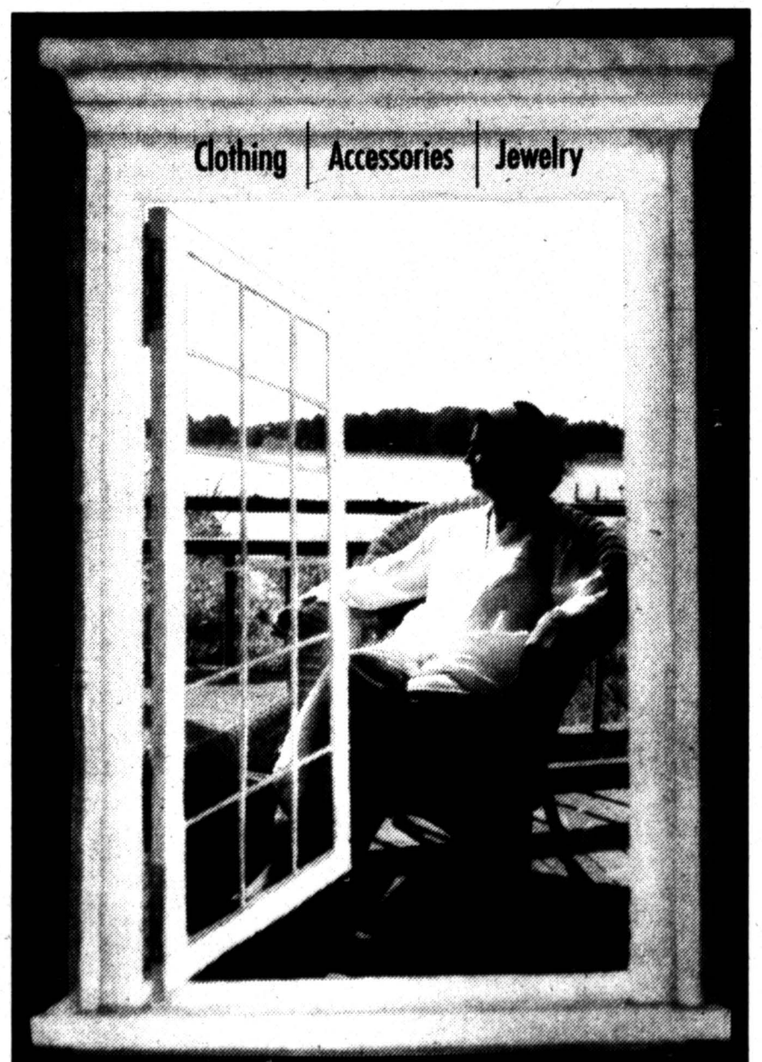

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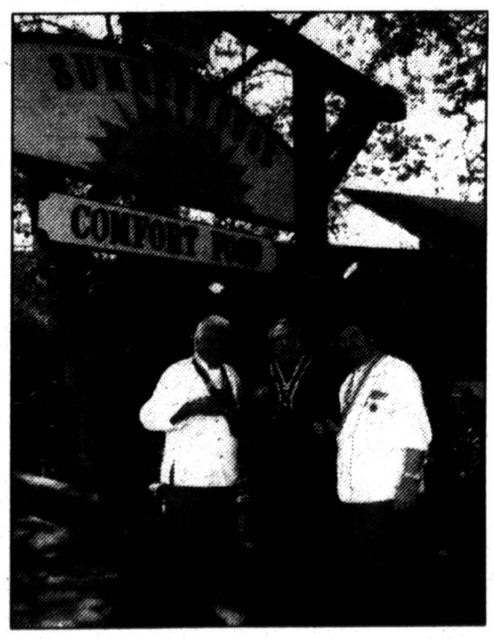
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Sandy Claws

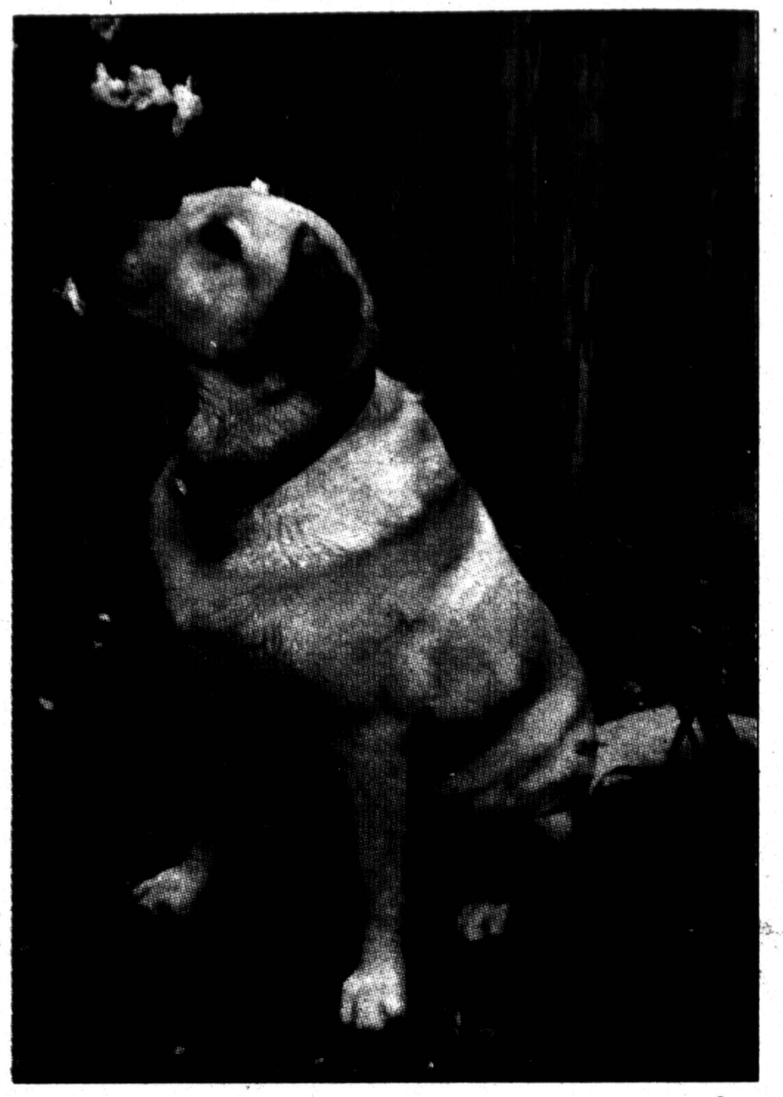
by Margot Petit Nichols

OTIS DICKSON, 4, an investigative yellow Labrador, looks as if he's sniffing a flower after Thursday morning's dip off Carmel Beach. But Otis is shy about smelling much of anything anymore after a curious sniff at an Angwin rattlesnake – while visiting grandparents Jon and Robin Lail – caused permanent scarring on his nose.

Otis is an avid and strong swimmer, and enjoys plowing out past the second or third wave to join surfers preparing to catch the next one. His joyful camaraderie is not always appreciated. Undaunted, Otis dives through the waves and body surfs in.

Otis is only a part-time Carmelite. Most of the time, he and his Mom Erin, Dad Tom, and little sister Georgia live in St. Helena in the Napa Valley where his parents and grandparents are in the premium wine industry. But when the pull of R&R calls, they drive down to Carmel-by-the-Sea and stay a while in the family's second home.

Otis is one of those mellow Labs who plays nicely with children. He and his 2-year-old sister are enamored with one another and play together all the time, according to Mom Erin. Otis will even share his chew toys with little blonde-haired, blue-eyed Georgia with dedicated affection and generous spirit, which are returned in kind by his wee sister.



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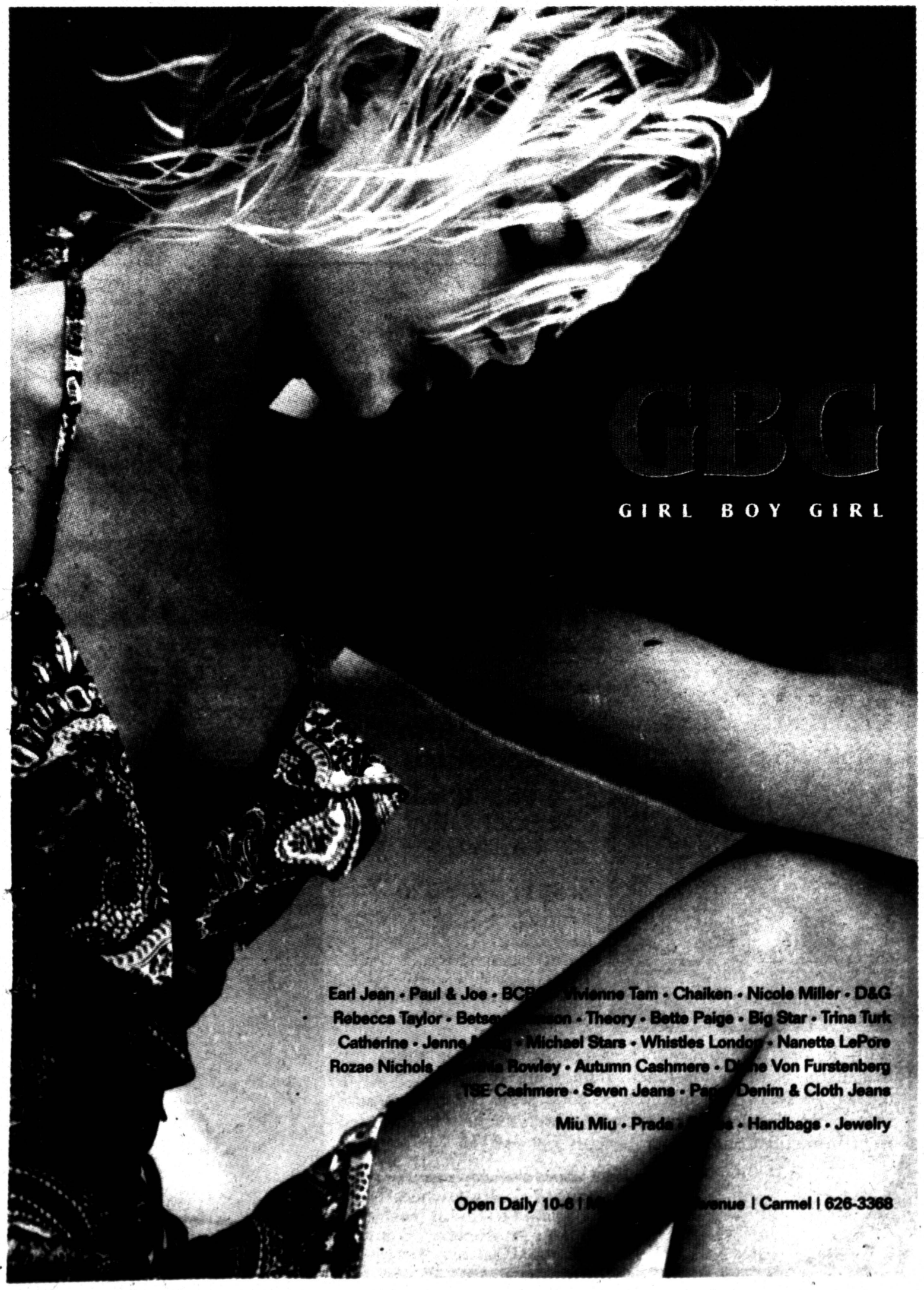
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Other than engaging in minimal wordsmithing of the ordinance, the commission did not discuss the change, and no members of the public commented on the proposed law.

"It is a function of such events that part of the event includes providing alcohol and all the good things associated with it," commissioner Robin Wilson summarized.

The Carmel City Council is set to vote on Sunset's exemption to the no-alcohol law June 3.

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News from Carmel-by-the-Sea Rotary

The Rotary Club of Carmel-by-the-Sea for second quarter of 2003 has approved the following grants: The Blind & Visually Impaired Center, $500; Carmel High Music Boosters, $750; Carmel High Chamber Singers, $750; Kids of Carmel Track Meet, $500; Sober Grad Night, $500.

On May 28 John Arquilla from Naval Postgraduate School will be the speaker. The next week, on June 4, Bill Jones will present a talk about Surfers United Rotary Fellowship. The club's special event to support Polio Plus will take place on May 31 at the Golden Bough Playhouse.

ROTARY CLUB OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA meets weekly on Wednesday at 12:15 at La Playa Hotel

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The Carmel Pine Cone

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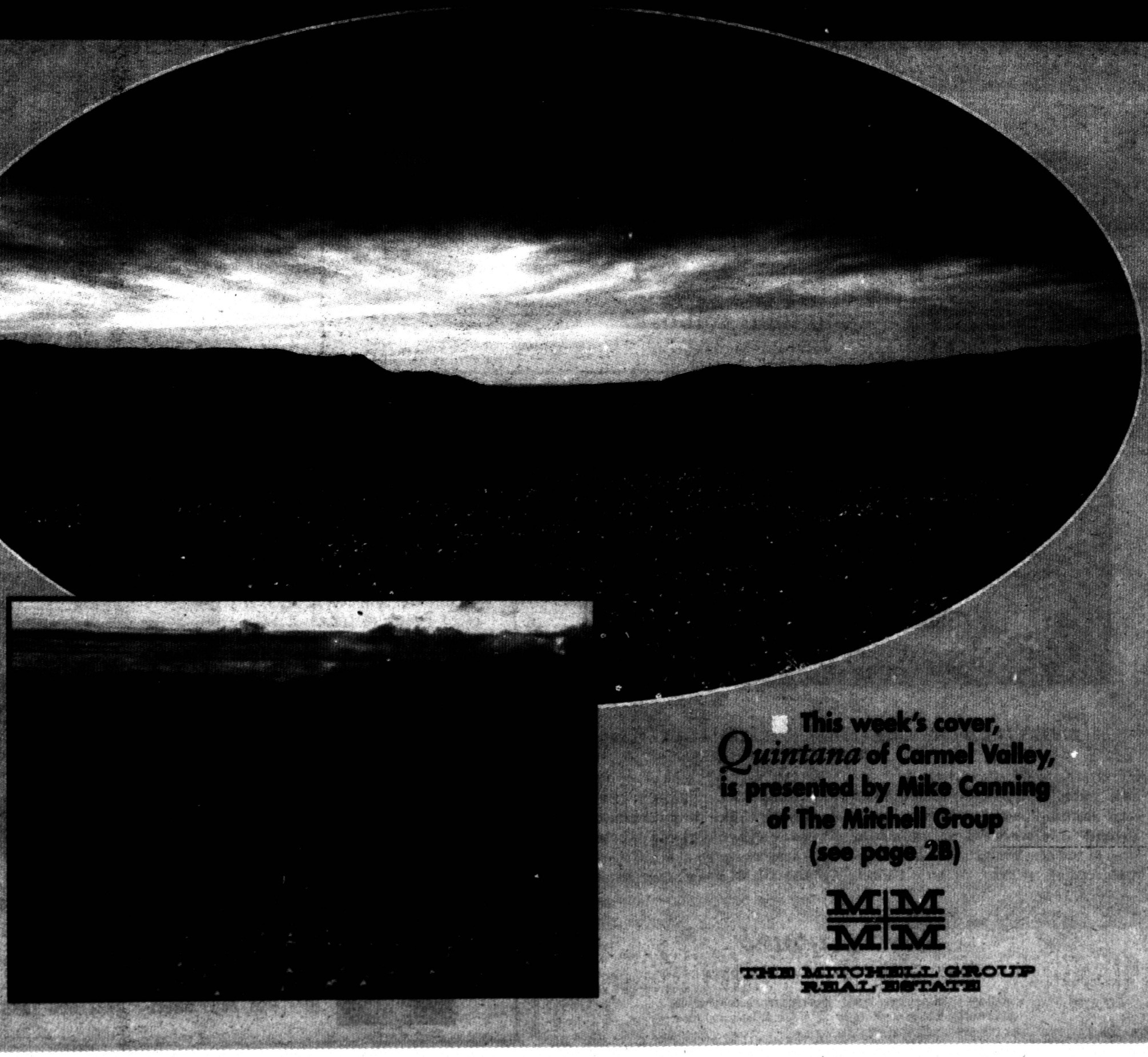
Real Estate

Inside:

■ Planning Commission gets final changes to coastal plan



■ This week's cover, *Quintana* of Carmel Valley, is presented by Mike Canning of The Mitchell Group (see page 2B)

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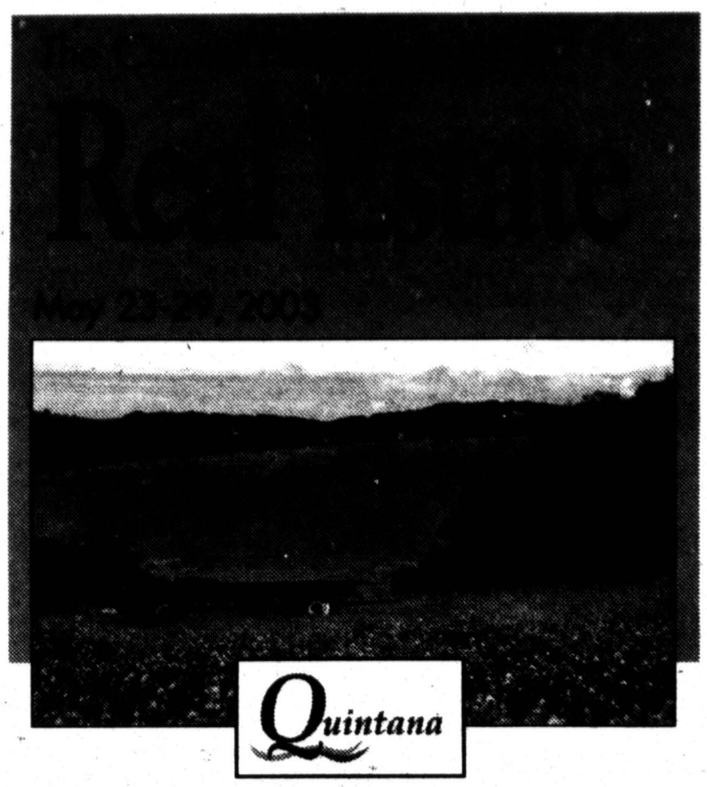

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9808 Club Place Ln $756,500
Kevin D & Marnie Freeman to Conrad L & Madeleine Jacobson
38497 Palo Colorado Rd $180,000
John & Zeline Wichmann to Hans Peter Kaindl
24816 Carpenter Rd $485,000
Wilma Jo Elizondo to Patrick & Myriam Kennelly
Santa Fe St 2 NE Of 2nd Av $1,325,000
Small Business Solutions Inc to Byron R Mendenhall

Carmel - South Coast

None

Carmel Valley

167 El Caminito Rd $785,000
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153 Acres $3,000,000
Twelfth Tee Investors LLC to Dean & Barbara Griggs

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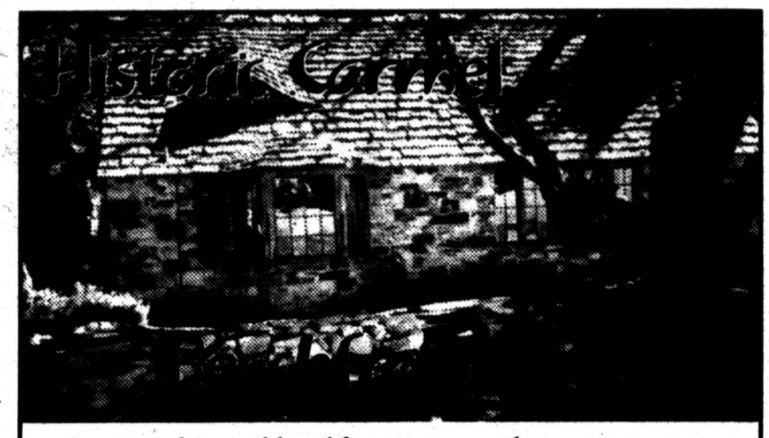

An original Carmel beachfront cottage with panoramic views of Point Lobos and Pebble Beach. One of 12 rare lots right on the beach. This magnificent one-of-a-kind stone cottage has a cozy interior with two bedrooms and two baths. Outside is an intimate English garden and terrace.

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Country English Estate

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CARMEL HIGHLANDS—You're just steps to Otter Cove beach and a second private beach from this 2,600 sq. ft., four bedroom, three bath Yankee Point home. Watch the sunsets and whales from the large master suite and ocean view deck. This home is in turn-key condition and is completely fenced and landscaped with security gate for privacy. Perfect for primary residence or vacation get-a-way!

$1,495,000 **624-0136**

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PACIFIC GROVE—Resting on three lots of record, this four bedroom, three and one half baths historic Pacific Grove redwood home has been lovingly maintained and is in excellent condition. From the warmth of the river rock fireplace in this timeless craftsman style home, one can sit back and watch the sailboats go by on the Monterey Bay. Property has its own well.

$1,495,000 **646-2120**

CARMEL VALLEY—Magnificent golf course views from this premiere Summit home overlooking the 12th green at Carmel Valley Ranch. This three bedroom two and one half bath home boasts functionality with its versatile floor plan. Master suite, kitchen, living and dining rooms, and a two car garage located on main floor. Two fireplaces, air-conditioning, alarm system, custom cabinets throughout and storage room with extra space.

$1,229,000 **659-2267**

MONTEREY/SALINAS HIGHWAY—Magnificent Mediterranean Villa overlooking the 12th fairway of the Jack Nicholas-designed golf course at Pasadera. Enjoy an exquisite combination of elegance and design, this four bedroom four bath home features an entry with inlaid rosettes and swirl wrought iron staircase. Gourmet kitchen with limestone countertops and hickory pecan flooring. Jacuzzi, steam shower, and numerous custom built-ins.

$3,300,000 **624-6482**

MONTEREY/SALINAS HWY

One of the most authentic and stunning homes built on the Monterey Peninsula! With over 8,000 sq. ft., this stone house is constructed with the finest handcrafted materials and state-of-the-art efficient engineering throughout. The versatile floor plan offers ten fireplaces, six bedrooms, guest quarters, artist studio, great room with vaulted ceilings and beautiful mountain vistas. A true experience!

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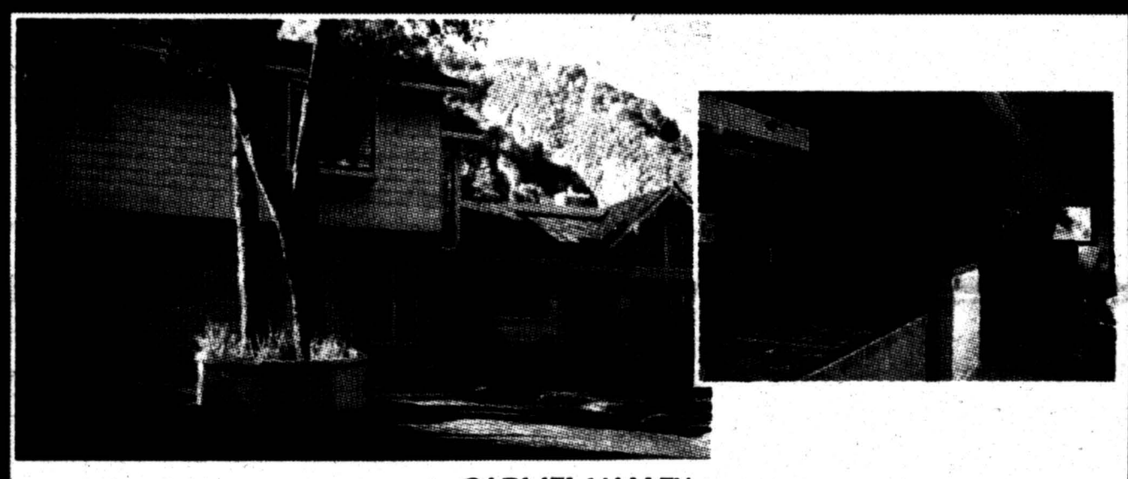
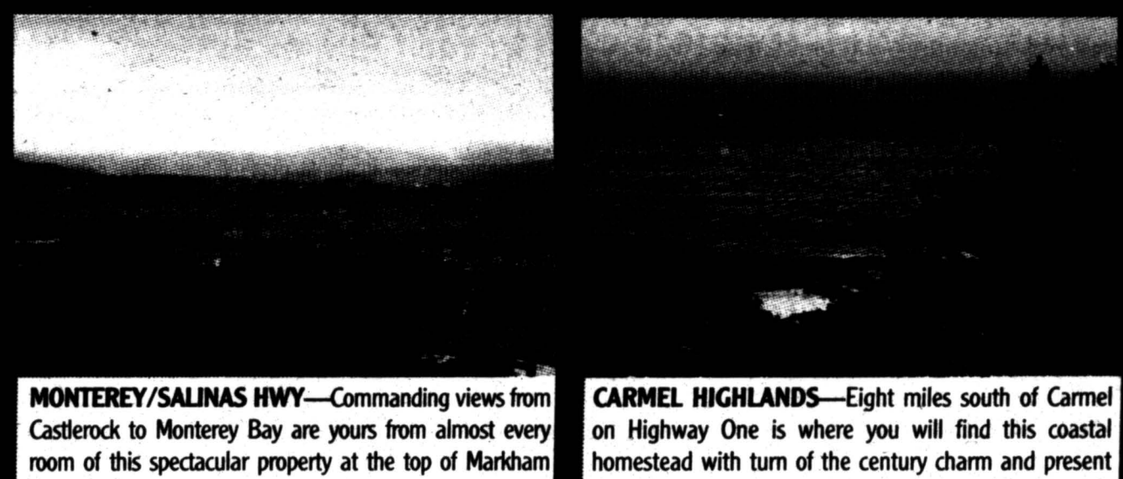


CARMEL VALLEY

Serenity at its finest in this secluded riverfront country estate surrounded by lush landscaping and spectacular mountain vistas. Designed to take full advantage of the view with seven skylights and large picture windows throughout. Updated kitchen with custom cabinets, tile countertops, top-of-the-line appliances plus updated bathrooms with marble tile floors and countertops. Close proximity to shopping and downtown Carmel.

$2,495,000 **659-2267**



MONTEREY/SALINAS HWY—Commanding views from Castlerock to Monterey Bay are yours from almost every room of this spectacular property at the top of Markham Ranch. Elegant floor plan offers a huge living room for entertaining. The downstairs living area includes an entertainment room accessing a large patio area and manicured lawns. Three bedrooms below, each with its own bath, provide a separate living environment for family or guests.

$3,495,000 **646-2120**

CARMEL HIGHLANDS—Eight miles south of Carmel on Highway One is where you will find this coastal homestead with turn of the century charm and present day amenities. Offering a main house, guest house, lap pool, corral, riding arena, stable and artist's studio all situated upon six acres exhibiting an old west motif. Visual treats abound from the mountainous backdrop to the spectacular ocean views.

$5,300,000 **624-0136**

PACIFIC GROVE—Magnificent redwood construction with elaborate craftsmanship and original woodwork set the tone of this lovely four bedroom, three bath Victorian. Gourmet kitchen with breakfast area, formal dining room, upstairs parlor with bay views, fabulous master bath with Japanese Ofuro soaking tub and a basement/workshop only begin to describe the many attributes of this historical treasure.

$1,575,000 **646-2120**

CARMEL—Views of Point Lobos from this immaculate 2,250 sq. ft., three bedroom, two and one half bath home in a great neighborhood, close to Carmel schools, shopping, and golf. The home offers beamed ceilings, a brick fireplace, double paned windows, upgraded lighting, low maintenance landscaping and a two-car garage. Enjoy a private patio, perfect for entertaining or casual outdoor living.

$1,350,000 **624-6482**

PEBBLE BEACH

Newly completed estate with guest quarters! On a level 2/3 acre lot on a desirable street near the Lodge is this fabulous four bedroom home with a completely renovated one bedroom guest apartment. A total of six fireplaces! There is a large den plus media room, separate office and a three car garage. This "Slaybaugh" project has the latest colors, finishes and appliances!

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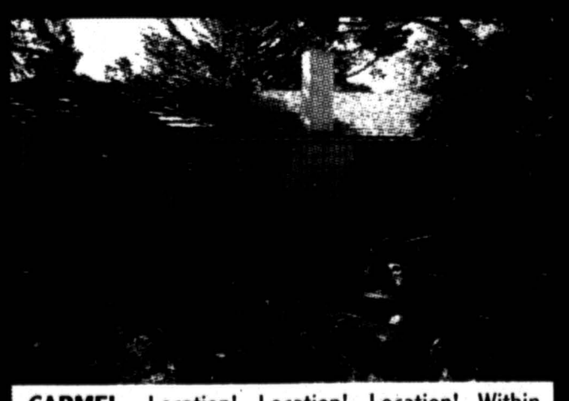

CARMEL—Location! Location! Location! Within Carmel's "Golden Rectangle" on an over-sized corner lot is this delightful three bedroom, three bath residence. Secluded behind an oriental wall, one enters the impressive wood gate to be greeted by a sunny flower-filled patio. The sunroom off the master bedroom opens to a beautiful lush garden area. Yours to expand, remodel, update or simply enjoy.

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CARMEL VALLEY—Truly spectacular and splashy! Open, soaring ceilings lead into the great room of this three bedroom, two and one half bath home. There's a formal dining room, romantic master suite with fireplace, gourmet kitchen plus a bonus room. Beautiful black-bottom pool with waterfall and lovely gardens all in an amazing setting with breathtaking mountain and valley views. One of Alan Turpen's best designs!

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Land Use Plan sails through planning commission

■ *Only substantial change pits tourists against residents in demand for water*

By MARY BROWNFIELD

THEY THREW a party and nobody came.

Without a single member of the public in the audience, the Carmel Planning Commission briefly discussed the city's proposed new general plan Wednesday, then unanimously voted to recommend that the plan be OK'd by the city council.

The new general plan is a combination of the old general plan and the city's new coastal Land Use Plan, which was approved by the California Coastal Commission in March. Merging the two documents is one of the final steps before the city gets back the power to issue development permits without the consent of the coastal commission.

The LUP has been in the works for more than 20 years and has already been approved by the city council and the coastal commission. Principal planner Brian Roseth asked the planning commission not to tinker with it.

"Staff is recommending that no further substantive change be made to the LUP, as this would require that the coastal commission reopen the hearing on the plan," Roseth wrote in his staff report to the members of the commission.

He said a few policies had to be tweaked — such as adding the word "significant" to a section which otherwise would have prevented the removal of any live Monterey pine.

And he reviewed the largest change in the general plan mandated by the LUP: making tourist and government needs the top priority for water (if the city ever gets any), instead of residential uses and existing lots of record, which have long been number one on the city's water priority list.

Now, "housing should always be considered 'first in line' for limited water resources except when this would preclude development of essential public services, recreational uses/facilities or visitor-serving uses consistent with the Coastal Act," according to the new general plan draft.

The general plan will be presented to the city council June 3, Roseth said. And later this year, the city will finalize changes to its zoning code, which will be the very last step before the city receives the authority to issue coastal development permits on its own.

POLICE LOG

From page 4A

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject reported dogs not under voice command in Mission Trail Park. The CMC was discussed and faxed to the subject.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject reported seeing a female walking her dogs at 1450 hours and one was off leash. On arrival at the Flanders residence, she was not found at home. One dog was in the yard and another in the house. Resident soon returned and it was determined a Flexilead was used to walk the dogs, which could make it appear as if the dog was off leash.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle parked at San Carlos and Eighth found to have 18 outstanding citations in the amount of $897. The blue 2000 Audi A8 was towed and stored by Carmel Chevron. Owner contacted at the scene and was advised where the vehicle was towed.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Black 1987 BMW 325 found parked in a city-owned lot at Mission and Sixth with a total of $890 in out-

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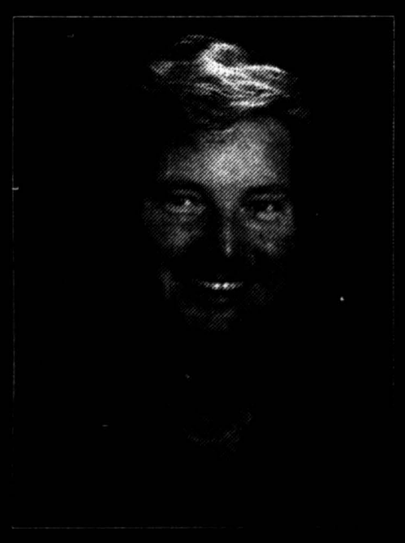

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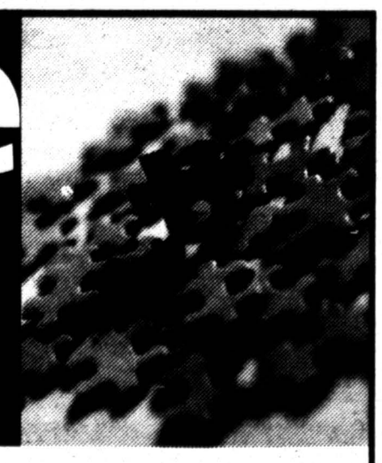

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standing parking citations on file. Towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

Carmel Valley: Possible Health & Safety Code violations at a De los Helechos residence.

Big Sur: Two male subjects, age 24 and 18, entered a Big Sur garage to retrieve items from a vehicle that had been towed. While there, they stole a digital camera from inside the business. State park rangers contacted them a short while later in front of the Big Sur post office and detained them until the Monterey County Sheriff's Office could arrive. The digital camera was recovered during a consent search of the suspect vehicle. They were placed under arrest for grand theft and possession of stolen property. They were transported to Monterey County Jail.

TUESDAY, MAY 13

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject contacted in the front yard of a Dolores residence using a gas leaf blower. Subject had no prior contacts in regards to this violation and was given a warning regarding the CMC violation.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of suspicious male and female who entered a Mission Street bank to sell advertising for Welcome Wagon. Bank questioned the validity of who they represented and referred them to her corporate office. Information referred to beat officers.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of continuous howling/barking from two large dogs on Santa Fe at Second. Upon first observation, they were sleeping in the front driveway area. Upon return, they excitedly came to the front gate. Contacted a female and discussed with her the complaint of her dogs barking while left alone. She was aware of the concerns and has tried to prevent the barking. She has received three letters from neighbors: one which was threatening, one referring to the dogs escaping and a third thanking her for reducing the barking. She also advised one of the dogs became sick from some type of poisoning during this time. A courtesy notice was issued.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of $4,100 worth of jewelry and precious metals stolen from a Mission Street residence sometime between 04/03/03 and 04/13/03. Entry gained via unlocked front door while the premises were occupied.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: A red 1993 Nissan Sentra was stopped at Mission and Seventh for having registration expired as of 04/02/03. Driver admitted to never having a license and a DMV records check confirmed this. He stated the vehicle was his brother's. Driver cited, vehicle towed by Carmel Chevron and impounded for 30 days.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Red 1998 Subaru Forester found parked in a temporary no-parking tow-away zone at Junipero and Third. Vehicle towed and stored by Carmel Chevron.

Pebble Beach: Prowler at a Bonifacio Road residence.

Carmel area: Assisted other agency at Point Lobos State Reserve. [A week later, State Parks issued a press release that this incident was the theft of a valuable, antique scrimshaw collection that had been displayed at Point Lobos.]

Carmel area: Theft of cigarettes from a Crossroads business.

Carmel Valley: Past-tense burglary to a Carmel Valley Road business.

Carmel Valley: Lost/found/missing property at Del Mesa Carmel.

Carmel Valley: Information taken at a Tierra Grande Drive residence.

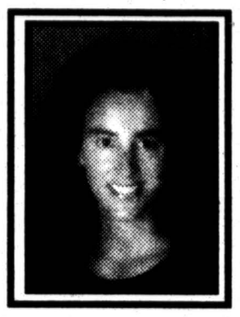
Pebble Beach: Information taken at an Elk Run Road residence.

Pebble Beach: Information taken at a Midwood Lane residence.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subject requested information that was filed in December 2002 regarding a theft report originating on 09/12/01. She was advised the report was available for her viewing.

*See **POLICE LOG** page 8B*



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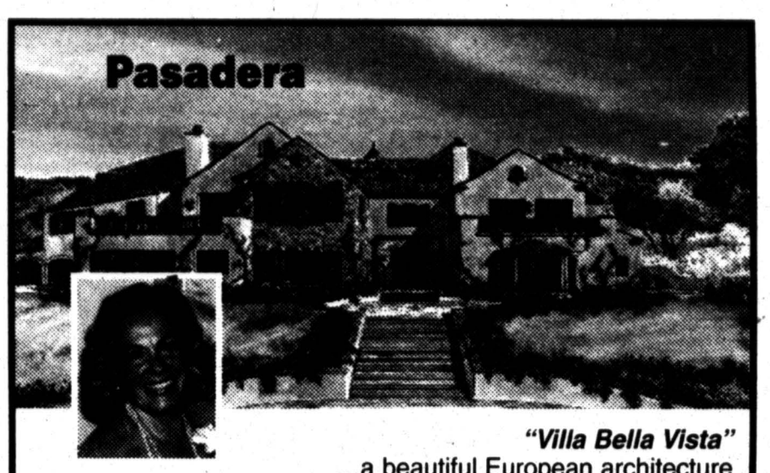

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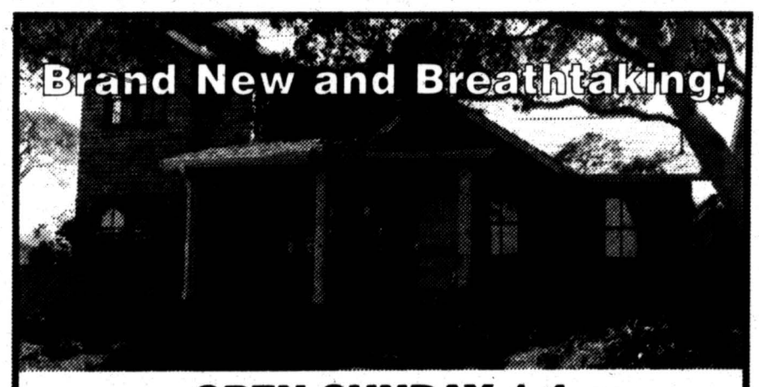

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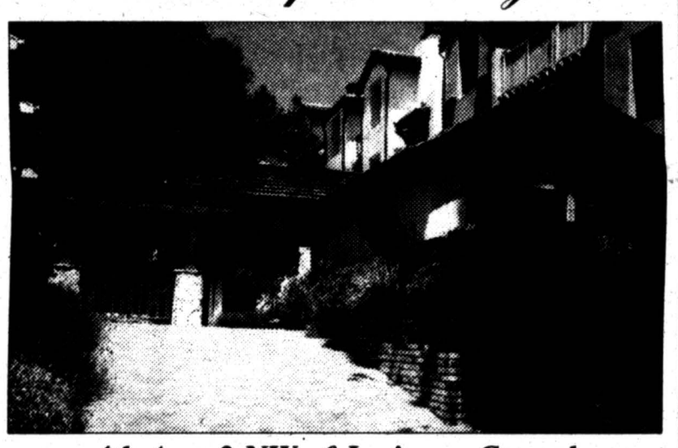

4th Ave., 2 NW of Junipero, Carmel

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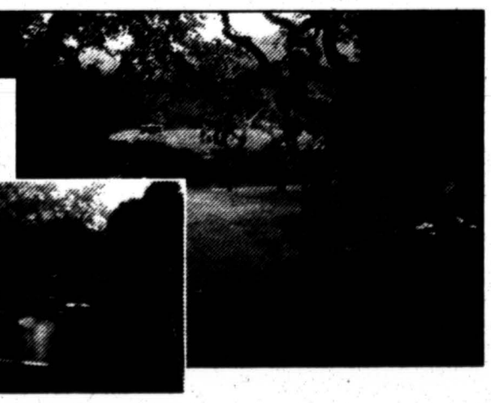

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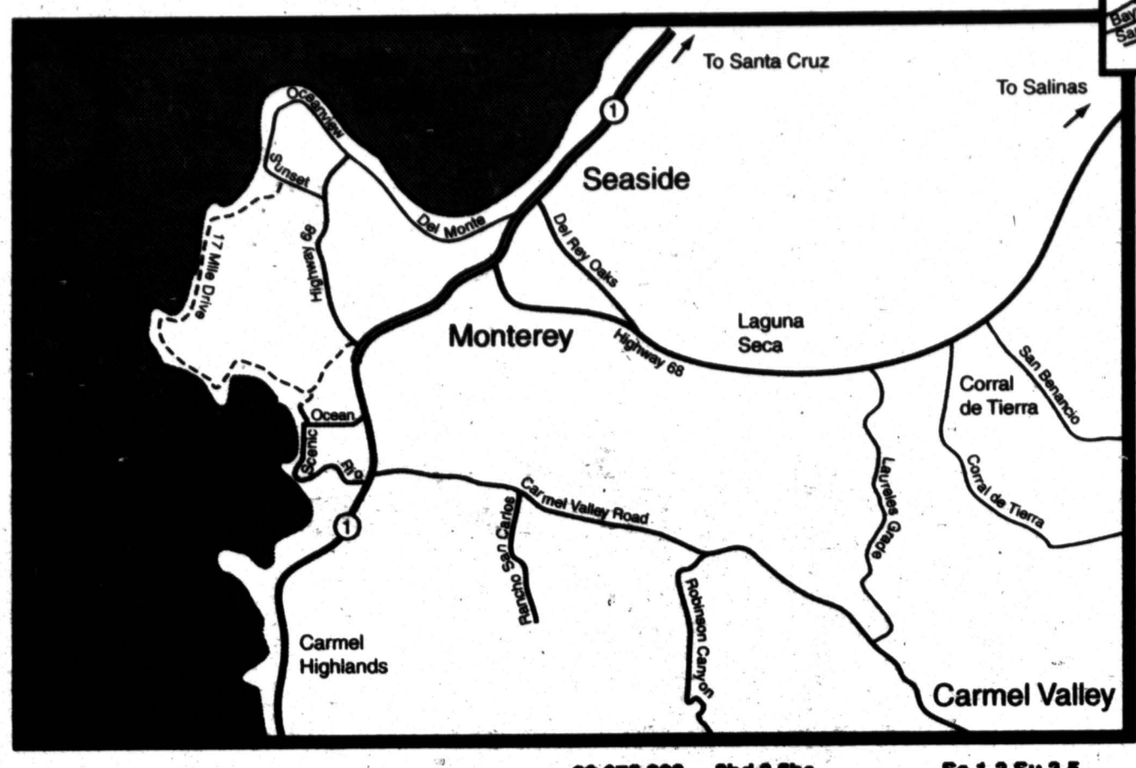

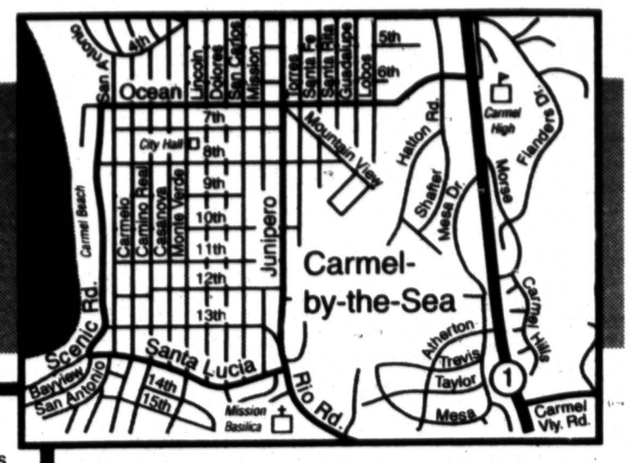

CARMEL

$319,000	2bd 2ba	Su 1-3
#187 Hacienda Carmel		Carmel
Fouratt-Simmons Realty		624-3829
$629,000	2bd 1ba	Sa Su 2-4
Sw Cor Torres & 2nd		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$629,500	3bd 2ba	Su 1-3
3340 Rio Rd x Mission Fl		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$649,000	2bd 2.5ba	Su 3-5
3850 Rio Rd #40		Carmel
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$669,000	3bd 2.5ba	Sa 1-5 Su 1-5
3850 Rio Rd #75		Carmel
John Saar Properties		622-7227
$699,000	3bd 3ba	Sa 2:30-4:30
87 High Meadow Lane		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$739,900	3bd 1.5ba	Sa 1-4
Torres 2SE of 1st		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$749,000	3bd 3ba	Sa Su 1-4
2 SW Junipero		Carmel
Prudential California Real Estate		620-1995
$749,000	2bd 1.5ba	Sa 1-4 Su 2-5
Santa Fe 2SW of 2nd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$749,000	2bd 1.5ba	Mon 11-1
Santa Fe 2SW of 2nd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$750,000	2bd 1ba	Su 2-4
Santa Fe 4SW & 1st Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$769,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-3
24617 Lower Trail		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$819,000	2bd 1.5ba	Sa Su Mo1-4
24312 San Juan Rd		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$825,000	2bd 2ba	Su 1-3
Third Avenue 2 NE Lincoln		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$825,000	2bd 1.5ba	Sa 12-2
4th 2NW Junipero		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$849,000	2bd 2ba	Su 2-4
Santa Rita 9SE of Ocean		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$849,900	3bd 2.5ba	Su 2-4
3055 Rio Road		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$870,000	2bd 2ba	Su 1-4
Vizcaino 3 NW of Flanders		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$875,000	3bd 2ba	Sa 1-3:30
25602 Morse Dr		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$895,000	2bd 2.5ba	Su 1:30-3:30
Junipero & 4th SW Cor unit J		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$899,900	2bd 2ba	Sa Su 2-4
Guadalupe 3NW of 5th		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$949,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 2-5
NW Cor of Dolores & 3rd		Carmel
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$995,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 2:30-4:30
Santa Rita 2 NW of Ocean Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$999,995	3bd 2ba	Su 2-4
24665 Lower Trail		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,060,000	4bd 2ba	Su 1-3
San Carlos 4 SE of Alta		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,095,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
24767 Dolores St		Carmel
John Saar Properties		622-7227
$1,095,000	3bd 3ba	Su 2-4
25313 Carmel Knolls		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$1,125,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-4
24829 Outlook Court		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,199,000	2bd 2ba	Su 2-4
Carpenter 2NW of 5th		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$1,279,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 2-4
24304 San Juan Rd		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$1,295,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 1-4
24439 San Juan		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,295,000	4bd 3ba	Sa Su 12-3
3 Trail View Dr		Carmel
By Owner		626-1023
$1,300,000	3bd 2ba	Su 2-4
NE Corner Dolores & 13th		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,350,000	3bd 2ba	Sa 2:30-4:30
Santa Rita 4 NW of 6th		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$1,389,000	3bd 2ba	Su 1-3
Monte Verde 5SW of 13th		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$1,399,000	3bd 2.5ba	Mon 2-4
3444 Ocean Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,399,000	3bd 2.5ba	Sa Su 2-4
3444 Ocean Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,495,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 2-4
9th 2SW of Torres		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$1,545,000	3bd 3ba	Su 1-3
NE Corner of 4th & Torres		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$1,550,000	3bd 3ba	Sa Su 1-3
6th Ave 2W of Santa Rita		Carmel
Mid Coast Investments		626-0145
$1,595,000	4bd 4ba	Sa 2-3:30
3369 Trevis Way		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,695,000	2bd 2ba	Sa2-4 Su12-2
3 Se Carmelo & 11th		Carmel
Burchell House Properties		624-6461
$1,695,000	3bd 2ba+den	Sa 2-4 Su1-3
Santa Fe & 3rd SW Cor		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,775,000	3bd 3.5ba	Su 1-4
3508 Lazarro Drive		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$1,795,000	4bd 3ba	Mon 11-2
24712 Dolores		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,795,000	4bd 3ba	Su 12-3
3311 San Luis Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,795,000	4bd 3ba	Sa 3-5 Su 2-4
24712 Dolores		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,950,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 2-4
2448 Bay View		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,950,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
2384 Bay View Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,995,000	3bd 2.5ba	Sa 1-3
Lincoln 4NE of Santa Lucia		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$1,995,000	3bd 3ba	Su 1-4
So. End of Torres on 11th Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,150,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 1-4
SW Cor Lincoln/12th (new const)		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$2,190,000	3bd 2.5ba	Sa 2-4 Su 1-3
Casanova 5SW and 13th		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$2,295,000	3bd 2ba	Su 1-4
Mission 5SE of 12th Ave		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,295,000	3bd 3ba	Sa Su 1-4
Santa Fe 4SE of 3rd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$2,400,000	3bd 3ba	Sa Su 2-4
NW Cor Sta Lucia/Camino Real		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$2,450,000	4bd 2.5ba	Sa Su 2-4
Lincoln 4 NE13th (new const)		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$2,475,000	3bd 3ba	Sa 1-4 Su 2-4
2902 Cuesta Way		Carmel
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$2,575,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-3
3800 Genista Way		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$2,675,000	3bd 3.5ba	Sa 1-3 Su 3-5
2730 Santa Lucia Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
$2,850,000	3bd 3.5ba	Sa 1-3
Casanova 2NE of 7th		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$2,925,000	3bd 4ba	Sa 1-3 Su 1-4
2496 Santa Antonio Ave		Carmel
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$2,995,000	4bd 3.5ba	Sa Su 2-4
26247 Inspiration Ave (new const)		Carmel
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$3,395,000	4bd 3ba	Sa Su 1-4
Monte Verde 5SE of 10th		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$5,195,000	4bd 3ba	Mon 11-3
San Antonio 3SE of 2nd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$5,195,000	4bd 3ba	Sa 3-4 Su 1-4
San Antonio 3SE of 2nd		Carmel
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$5,950,000	3bd 3ba	SaSuMo1-3
SE Cor of Scenic and 10th Ave		Carmel
Mid Coast Investments		626-0145

CARMEL VALLEY

$2.9-4.9m (ranches)		Su 2-5
130 E. CV Rd (ranches)		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$525,000	2bd 2ba	Su 2-4
34 Camino De Traviesa		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$695,000	3bd 2ba	Sa 2-4:30
6 Merrill Way		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$699,000	2bd 2.5ba	Su 2-4
125 White Oaks		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$750,000	3bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
27952 Berwick		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$820,000	2bd 2ba	Su 2-5
265 Nido Way		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$829,900	4bd 3ba	Sa2-5 Su11-2
316 Barbara Way		Carmel Valley
Prudential California Real Estate		620-1995
$829,900	4bd 3ba	Mon 2-5
316 Barbara Way		Carmel Valley
Prudential California Real Estate		620-1995
$845,000	2bd 2ba	Su 1:30-4
9647 Poplar Court		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$995,000	4bd 2.5ba	Sa 11-2
11571 Hidden Valley		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$995,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-4
13370 Middle Cyn		Carmel Valley
John Saar Properties		625-0500
$999,000	2bd 2.5ba	Sa1-3 Su12-3
4125 Marguerita Way		Carmel Valley
Fouratt-Simmons Realty		624-3829
$1,050,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 12-3
34979 Sky Ranch Rd		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$1,325,000	4bd 2/5ba	Sa 11-1
25519 Hacienda Plaza		Carmel Valley
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,450,000	3bd 3ba	Su 12-3
34977 Sky Ranch Rd		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$2,500,000	4bd 3.5ba	Su 12-3
35182 Sky Ranch Rd		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$3,295,000	3bd 3.5ba	Sa Su 1-4
5480 Quail Meadows Dr		Carmel Valley
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,220,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-4
10495 Fairway Lane		Carmel Valley
The Mitchell Group		659-2267

CARMEL HIGHLANDS

$1,450,000	4bd 4ba	Su 1-3
92/A Corona		Crml Highland
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2221
$2,200,000	4bd 4.5ba	Sa Su 1-3
148 San Remo		Crml Highland
Mid Coast Investments		626-0145
$2,295,000	3bd 3.5ba	Sa 12-2
16 Mal Paso Rd		Crml Highland
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$3,695,000	3bd 2ba+gst ha	Su 1-4
104 Yankee Point		Crml Highland
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,035,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 1-4
153 Carmel Riviera Drive		Crml Highlands
The Mitchell Group		624-0136
$1,195,000	3bd 2ba	Su 1:30-4
201 Upper Walden		Crml Highlands
The Mitchell Group		624-6482
$1,495,000	4bd 3ba	Su 11-1
137 Carmel Riviera		Crml Highlands
The Mitchell Group		624-6482

DEL REY OAKS

$535,000	3bd 2ba	Sa 12-2
995 Paloma		Del Rey Oaks
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$610,000	3bd 1.5ba	Su 2-4
1064 Via Verde Dr		Del Rey Oaks
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222

MONTEREY

$549,900	3bd 2ba	Sa 1-3
12 Shirl Pat Way		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$725,000	2bd 2ba	Sa 1-4
125 Surf Way #432		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$780,000	4bd 2.5ba	Sa 1-3
2 Forest Vale Place		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$785,000	2bd 2ba	Su 12-2
80 Via Buena Vista		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$799,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 2-4
688 Lobos St		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$819,000	3bd 2ba	Sa Su 2-4
138 Monte Vista Drive		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$890,000	3bd 3ba	Sa 2-4
698 Grove St		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$899,950	4bd 3ba	Sa 11-1
#6 Deer Foresr		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2223
$999,000	3bd 2ba	Su 2-4
1591 Irving Avenue		Monterey
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$1,200,000	3bd 2ba+gsht hs	Sa 1-3
850 Martin St		Monterey
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2226
$1,695,000	4bd 3ba	Sa 1-5
2 Copa Del Oro		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,695,000	4bd 3ba	Su 1-5
2 Copa Del Oro		Monterey
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040

MTRY/SALINAS HWY.

$750,000	3bd 2ba+acres	Su 2-4
18301 Corral Del Cielo		Mtry/Sins Hwy
John Saar Properties		915-9726
$825,000	4bd 3+ba	Sa11-1 Su2-4
14032 Reservation Road		Mtry/Sins Hwy
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$829,000	4bd 3ba+gst hs	Sa Su 1-4
234 San Benancio		Mtry/Sins Hwy
John Saar Properties		238-0688
$859,500	4bd 3ba	Su 12-2
19563 Cortina Court		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$929,000	3bd 2.5ba	Su 1-4
12327 Maravilla Dr		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$1,495,000	4bd 4+ba	Mon 1-4
19667 Woodcrest		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Alain Pinel Realtors		622-1040
$1,695,000	4bd 4.5ba	Su 2-4
11142 Saddle Rd		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2224
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Coldwell Banker Del Monte		626-2222
$3,095,000	4bd 5.5ba	Sa Su 1-4
318 Pasadera Court		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Prudential California Real Estate		402-2528
$3,300,000	4bd 4+ba	Sa 12-2
108 Via Del Milagro		Mtry/Sins Hwy
The Mitchell Group		659-2267
$3,749,000	6bd 6.5ba	Su 1-4
601 Belavida		Mtry/Sins Hwy
Prudential California Real Estate		277-0557
$3,749,000	5bd 5ba	Su 1-4
603 Belavida		Mtry/Sins Hwy
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1210 Lincoln Ave		Pacific Grove
Nations Estates		625-8787
$539,000	2bd 2ba	Sa Su 2-4
310 17th Street		Pacific Grove
The Mitchell Group		646-2120
$644,000	2bd 2ba	Su 1-4
701 17-Mile Dr		Pacific Grove
Prudential California Real Estate		238-1832
$659,000	2bd 1ba	Su 2-4
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$850,000 2bd 2ba	1023 Balboa Avenue	The Mitchell Group	Sa Su 2-4 Pacific Grove 646-2120
$879,500 3bd 2ba	921 Fountain	Coldwell Banker Del Monte	Su 1-4 Pacific Grove 626-2222
$895,000 3bd 1ba	713 Jewell Ave	Alain Pinel Realtors	Sa 1-4 Pacific Grove 622-1040
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PEBBLE BEACH

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Freshly redone, this bright 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath Carmel cottage is just a short distance to the center of town. Nicely decorated, with built-in bookcases accenting a wood-burning fireplace, the interior offers a relaxing retreat. French doors lead to a deck and private garden.

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In move-in condition and conveniently located near town and the beach, this 2 bedroom, 2 bath home has an oversized garage, a fireplace, and French doors that open to a wonderful deck that makes for perfect entertaining. Beautifully maintained gardens accent the front & rear of the property.

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Brand new, this ultra-custom 3 bedroom, 3 bathroom residence is a new Carmel Masterpiece created by Masterbuilder Al Saroyan. High ceilings, an impressive living room with stone wall fireplace, hewn wood plank floors, surround-sound theater with flat-screen pop-up TV, a wine cellar, 3 fireplaces, fountain with koi pond - it's all here, your own private enclave just blocks from the center of town.

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Carmel-by-the-Sea

Enjoy a premier location overlooking the Pebble Beach Golf Course with panoramic views of Carmel Bay and white water breaking on the sandy beach. This stunning new 2500 sq. ft. 4 bd. 3 ba custom home is graced by hardwood floors, vaulted ceilings, slab granite counter tops, premier appliances, a TV entertainment center, surround sound, 3 fireplaces and much, much more. Top quality craftsmanship & materials were used in the construction, while much attention was paid to maintaining an old-world charm and elegance.

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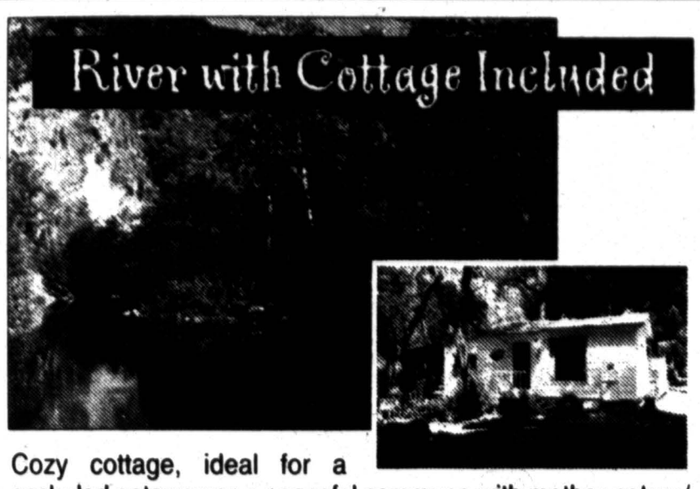

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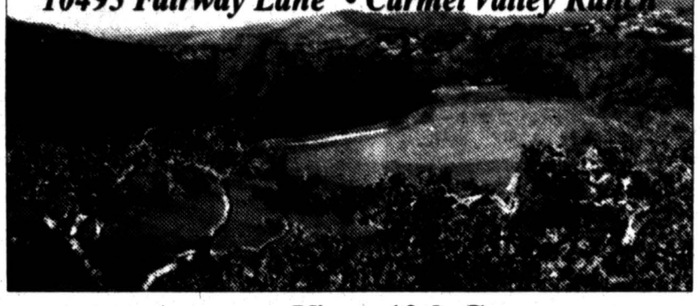

Awesome Views 12th Green

Nicely sited above the 12th green at Carmel Valley Ranch this premier Summit home sits on a superb lot bordered by greenbelt and the golf course. One can enjoy unobstructed golf course, mountain and valley views from both the upper and lower levels. Amenities include: two fireplaces, hardwood flooring, maple cabinetry, air-conditioning, custom built-in cabinets throughout and a storage room with extra space. The floor plan is extremely functional and versatile, with all major rooms (master suite, media room, kitchen, dining room, living room & garage) on the main level. Downstairs are two additional bedrooms)one now serving as an office), laundry, full bath and family room/library. This is truly a rare opportunity to own one of the finest locations at The Summit. **Offered at $1,229,000.**

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Carmel-by-the-Sea: Driver of a white 2000 Dodge pickup collided with a car parked on Lincoln Street.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Meals on Wheels volunteer called to report an Ocean Avenue resident was not answering her door. He said he could hear her but she would not come to the door. Officers called to her several times and she finally said she had fallen and couldn't get up. City building services employee found an open back door and gained entry. Emergency personnel responded and she was transported to CHOMP with a possible hip injury.

Carmel area: Follow-up at a Camino del Monte residence.

Carmel area: Spousal beating with injury.

Carmel Valley: Theft at a Village Drive residence.

Carmel Valley: Traffic pursuit on Carmel Valley Road west of the Village.

Storybook Stone Duplex

Inviting stone cottage duplex located on a double lot just a few blocks from downtown Pacific Grove. Enjoy panoramic blue water bay views. Flexible 4 bd/3 ba floor plan allows for duplex or single family home living. Meticulously maintained from top to bottom. Truly unique, very desirable. 2 kitchens, 2 living rooms,2-car garage, lovely garden side yard.
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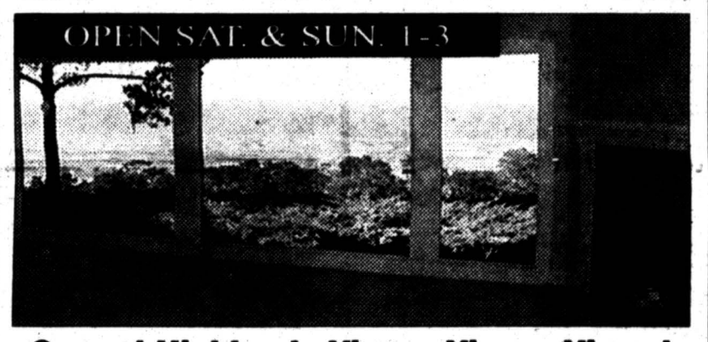

Carmel Highlands Views, Views, Views!

148 San Remo, Carmel Highlands

Breathtaking ocean views from almost every room of this fully remodeled 4 bedroom, 4.5 bath home. Quality custom workmanship, appliances and fixtures. The lower level is virtually self-contained with separate entrance, sitting room, efficiency kitchen and private deck. Access to private beach. $2,200,000.

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THURSDAY, MAY 15

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Lincoln Street resident reported her ex-roommate took some of her items when she moved out. One of the items was a telephone which was later found under the bed. She was intoxicated and her apartment was in disarray. She repeated herself several times and it was apparent she didn't know exactly what was missing. She was advised to make a list of what was missing and call back later when she was sober.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Responded to Mission Trail Park adjacent to a Martin Road property in regards to a fight in progress. Upon arrival, all parties had disbanded except for a few. Those subjects said they were at the location just to observe the fight, and they were not involved in the alleged altercation. Alcoholic beverages were found near the scene and discarded. Follow-up pending with Carmel High School authorities.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of the theft of a 25-foot green garden hose from the west side of the lobby area of a Junipero hotel. Woman also reported a lamp on Fifth was broken off at its post and a potted plant had a moderate amount of some kind of detergent poured into it. Damage and theft occurred approximately one week ago. Information only at this time.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Carmel Fire Department and Carmel Regional Fire Ambulance personnel responded in regards to a subject falling off a ladder while working at Sunset Center. Subject suffered a sprained right leg and ankle. Building inspector advised the city, and it was determined no formal report was needed because the employee was working under general contractor's insurance and workers compensation.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Gray 1990 Acura Integra found at Ocean and Del Mar displaying improper plates/tabs.

Carmel Valley: Wallet lost on Carmel Valley Road.

Carmel Valley: Information taken at a Los Laureles Grade residence.

Pebble Beach: Contacted a citizen at a Los Altos Drive residence.

Carmel area: Theft from a Hatton Road residence.

Carmel area: Past-tense malicious mischief to a vehicle at Ocean Avenue and Highway 1.

Big Sur: Suspicious person at the 49-mile-marker of Highway 1.

FRIDAY, MAY 16

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a walk-away from a senior residence on San Carlos. Over the past few days, resident has been more confused and is suffering from dementia. BOL placed and MCSO, CHP, CFD, MST, public works, Carmel Taxi,

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Carmel Chevron and Yellow cab were advised. After a short time, Yellow Cab #8 found her walking east on Serra from Camino del Monte. Contacted the female, who stated she was going to the Hyatt in Monterey because people were trying to steal her house. She stated she was fine and declined any medical aid, and she admitted being away from the inn for about two hours. She was transported back to the inn.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Subjects were engaged in a relationship for approximately one year. Recently they ended their relationship and her belongings were placed in a public storage unit in Del Rey Oaks. When this was done, no inventory was taken. She later reported entering the unit and finding it in disarray. She stated it was reported to the manager and that some of the property may have been seen at a local mercantile exchange. She requested an investigation and was advised she would need to contact Del Rey Oaks P.D. She was advised to first contact the male to clarify some issues with regard to her property.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Lobos resident reported she believes certain personal papers had been removed from a locked security container kept in her room. Her front door and bedroom door were also locked. She felt her ex-husband might be responsible. He has not been given any keys. There were no signs of forced entry to the front door, bedroom door or locked container. She was asked what papers were missing and responded that her passport was, among other items. Officer pointed out her passport lying in a box in plain view and not missing. She then said other papers were also missing but was not specific about which were actually missing. No signs of any crime having been committed were found in her house.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Complaint of loud music coming from a residence at Monte Verde and 10th. Upon arrival, no music could be heard from the outside. After contacting the resident, her radio could be heard playing in the living room. She appeared to be very intoxicated and had difficulty maintaining her balance while she spoke with the officer. Her speech was slurred and she was very talkative. The volume was not loud at all, but due to the thin second floor separating the two apartments, she was asked to lower the volume just a little. She complied. A sergeant then arrived on the scene as backup and she became very upset that police were at her residence and begin crying and yelling toward the ceiling at the neighbors.

Pebble Beach: Grand theft at Spyglass Hill Road and Stevenson Drive.

Carmel Valley: Malicious mischief to an Anne Circle residence.

Carmel area: Grand theft from a residence at Camino Real and 16th Avenue.

Carmel area: Harassing phone calls received at a Carmel Rancho Lane business.

Pebble Beach: Past-tense assault on Forest Lake Road.

Carmel area: Civil problem at a San Pedro Lane residence.

Carmel Valley: Missing person from a Paso del Rio residence.

Carmel area: Juvenile problem at an Oliver Road residence.

Carmel Valley: Intoxicated subject at West Carmel Valley Road and Panetta Road.

SATURDAY, MAY 17

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Alta resident reported a subject in a black Mustang just struck a tree

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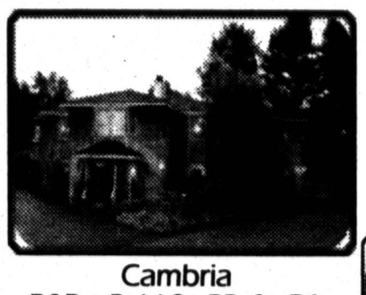

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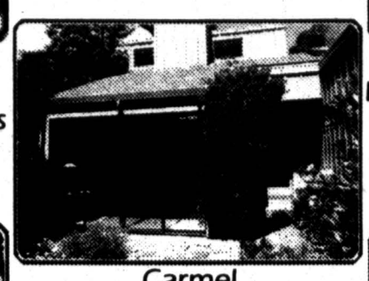
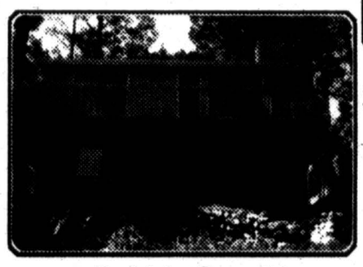
B&B + Pub! 9+ BR, 9+ BA
Rustic Victorian, full of antiques
$2,500,000

Carmel Valley
Enchanting Cabin! 2 BR, 1 BA
Park-like setting, waterfall
$542,000



Carmel
Sunny Courtyards! 3 BR, 2 BA
Skylights, dual-sided FP
$769,000



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~ In Carmel Valley ~

This 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home has been meticulously remodeled to create the perfect blend for indoor/outdoor living. Gorgeous gardens, slate walkways and patios outside complement the gourmet kitchen with wine cellar and spacious rooms indoors. A rich mixture of textures is provided by adobe, wood, quartzite and glass. A two-stall barn, arena and corral are additional attributes of this truly lovely property.

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CARMEL VALLEY. Just steps to Garland Park, this picturesque small farm sits on 2.3 flat, usable acres dotted with large shade trees, has a 2500 sf. 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, recently remodeled home with a separate gym/office area & 2 car garage. The horses facilities include: 3 box stalls & 2 run-in sheds, each with attached paddocks & 2 irrigated grass pastures & a well. **$1,195,000.**

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HATTON FIELDS. A beautifully updated & maintained 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with a spacious floorplan, a view of the ocean & of Point Lobos. Both the formal living room & family room have vaulted ceilings. The kitchen is a chef's delight & open to the dining room which has an elevated fireplace for cozy entertaining. There is also a fireplace in the family room & master bedroom. All this and so much more! Call for an appointment to see this fine home. **$975,000.**

CUSTOM CONTEMPORARY CARMEL HOME. Lovingly maintained home on a beautifully landscaped 1 plus acre lot, in Rancho Rio Vista. Terrific southern exposure with views of the Fish Ranch and Carmel Valley. This 2 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home has 2250 sq. ft., plus nearly 600 sq. ft. of unfinished space. Special features include a tiled, formal entry, cathedral ceilings, family room off the kitchen, both formal & informal dining, great, sunny, protected outdoor patios & decks. Close to Carmel schools & shopping. Very light & bright with lots of windows to enjoy the sun or watch the moon & stars. **$999,000.**

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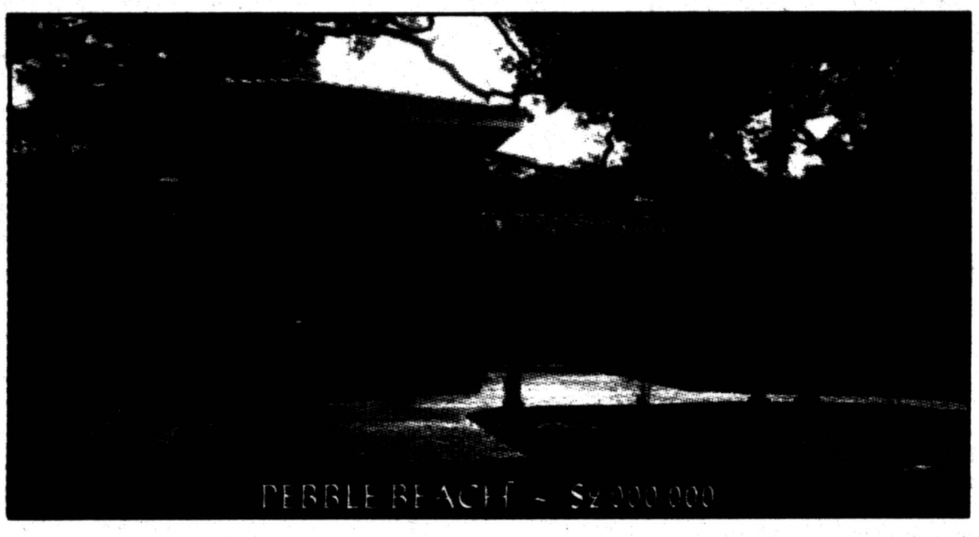
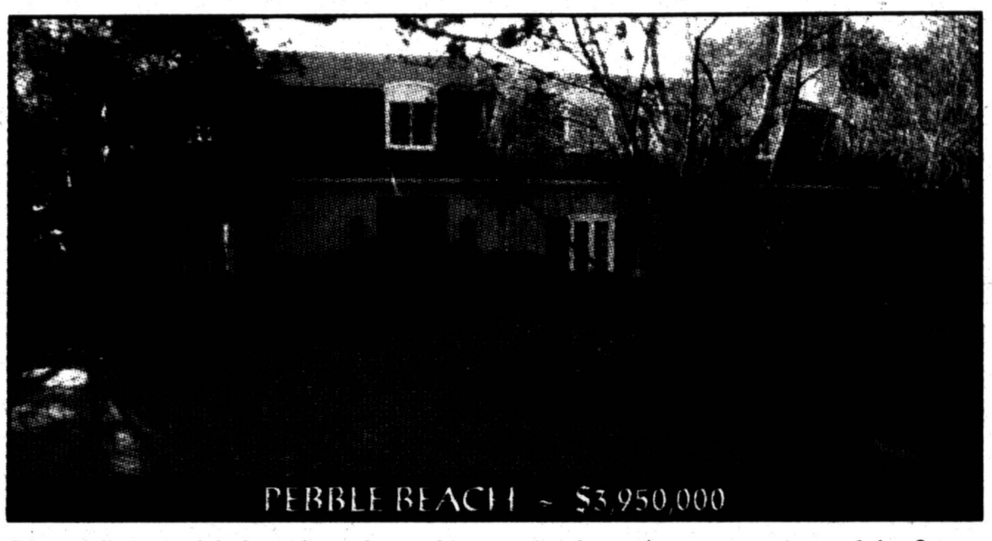
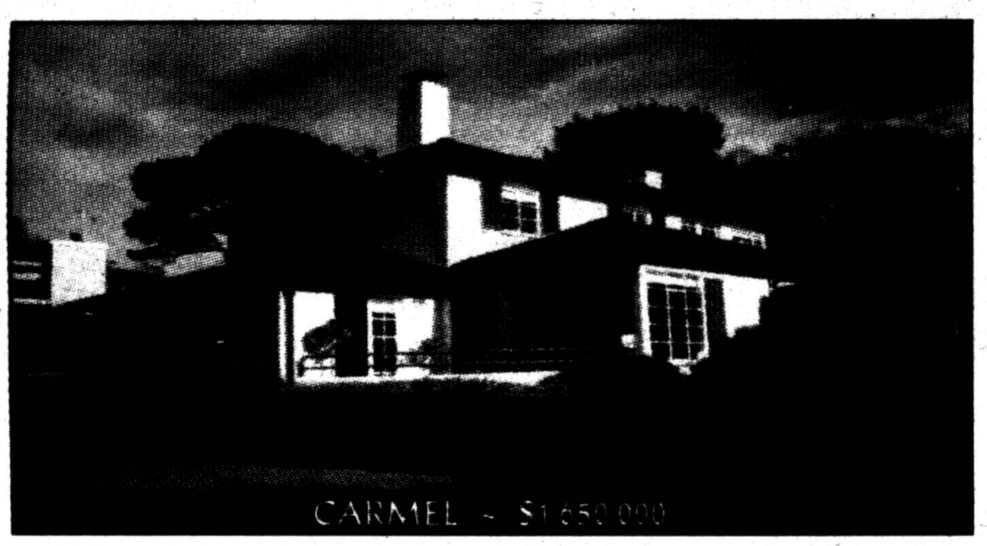
English gardens and sunny Carmel stone terraces create a glorious setting for this charming cottage. This ideal Carmel cottage with ocean views features 3 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, living room with soaring ceilings and a Carmel stone fireplace, family room/den and private guest quarters. Impeccably remodeled with exquisite taste and furnished to perfection. Two blocks from the beach.



Across from a greenbelt and nestled among mature oaks, this newly remodeled Mediterranean home is located in a quiet, private neighborhood of Pebble Beach. Spacious and bright, this home has 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths on one-quarter acre. Special features include: 3 fireplaces; vaulted, beamed ceilings; a separate, formal dining room; a great family room and a library; a spectacular state-of-the-art kitchen with all new appliances; view balconies off the master bedroom... All very tastefully done!



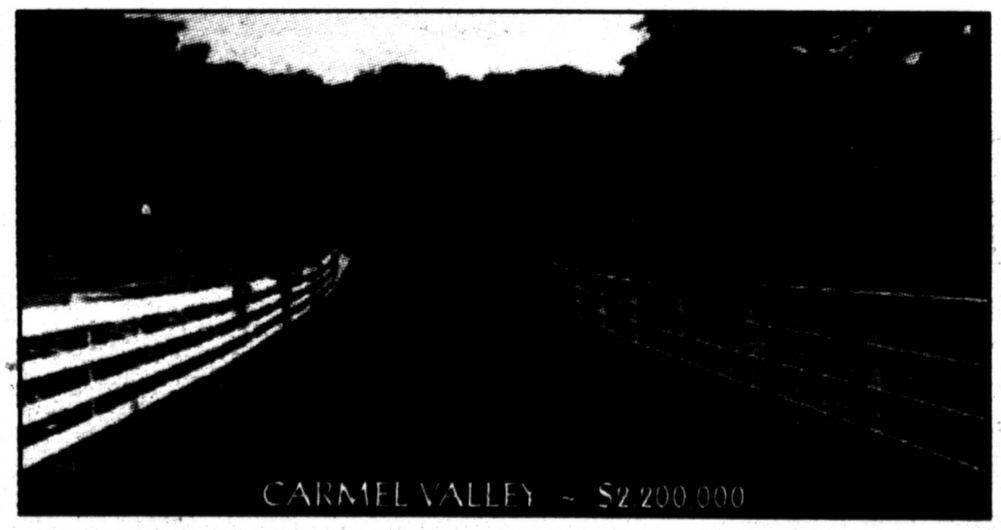
Beautifully remodeled inside and out, this stunning home has serene views of the Ocean and Point Lobos. Private gates open to lovely gardens surrounding a cobblestone circular drive. The grand living room has high ceilings, crown molding and French doors to a spacious terrace overlooking the ocean. Features include an elegant, wainscoted formal dining room, three fireplaces, a gourmet kitchen and an ocean view master suite. There are seven extra water credits available for a guest house / caretaker's cottage.



This elegant Hatton home is traditionally finished with impeccable taste. In superb condition, it features three bedrooms, three full baths, three fireplaces and a cozy, walk-in wet bar. The private guest bedroom wing opens to a luxurious courtyard and gardens. Light and bright inside with beautifully manicured, mature landscaping outside, this classically attractive home is warm and comfortable with a sophisticated feeling.

Originally built in 1926 and meticulously remodeled with exquisite taste and craftsmanship, this sophisticated 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath Italian home is stunning. This is a large Carmel home, 2650 sq. ft. plus garage in the best south of Ocean location. Features include a gourmet kitchen, library, 4 fireplaces, gorgeous courtyard, luxurious gardens and fountains, outdoor fireplace and BBQ, private roof top deck and a secluded hot tub. The character, serenity and ultimate privacy of this home are simply incomparable.

Spectacular location, just steps to The Lodge with Point Lobos ocean views. French doors open to over an acre of beautifully manicured gardens and mature oak trees. Over 4,000 sq. ft. of open living space with formal entry, vaulted cathedral ceilings, sunny kitchen, decks and courtyard. Impeccably maintained, this Eric Miller design and remodel boasts four large bedrooms and three and one half baths, including separate guest quarters.



Sleepy Hollow, a way of life. Now, a horse property with a 2 bedroom, 1 bath ranch home featuring stalls, barns, etc. Oak-filled, peaceful site could also be used for a dream home, vineyard or orchards. Plenty of sunshine, rolling hills and wildlife enhance this property.

For more information on these properties and/or for a private showing please call;

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at 2002 hours and left going east. Minutes later, another citizen called to report a black Mustang just lost its bumper at San Carlos and 13th. Bumper retrieved, and vehicle owner tracked through the license plate attached to it. Tree on Alta was checked and it turned out to be a stump; there was no damage. Contacted vehicle owner at his Crossroads employer, and he admitted being involved in a collision while delivering pizzas. He was asked to respond to the station for a report and to retrieve his vehicle's body parts. On arrival, he advised he struck a planter in front of a motel but left the scene because he didn't think there was any damage. Planter box checked and it was undamaged but the officer found another piece of the male's vehicle at the scene. The body parts were returned to the driver and he was advised the investigation is continuing until officers are sure there were no other collisions.

Pebble Beach: Peace disturbance on Rodeo Road.

Carmel Valley: Civil problem at a Carmel Valley Road address.

Pebble Beach: Suspicious circumstances at Portal Road and Stevenson Drive.

Carmel Valley: Assault and battery at the Carmel Valley Racquet Club.

Big Sur: Report of a trespasser at the 13-mile marker of Highway 1.

Carmel area: Peace disturbance at The Barnyard.

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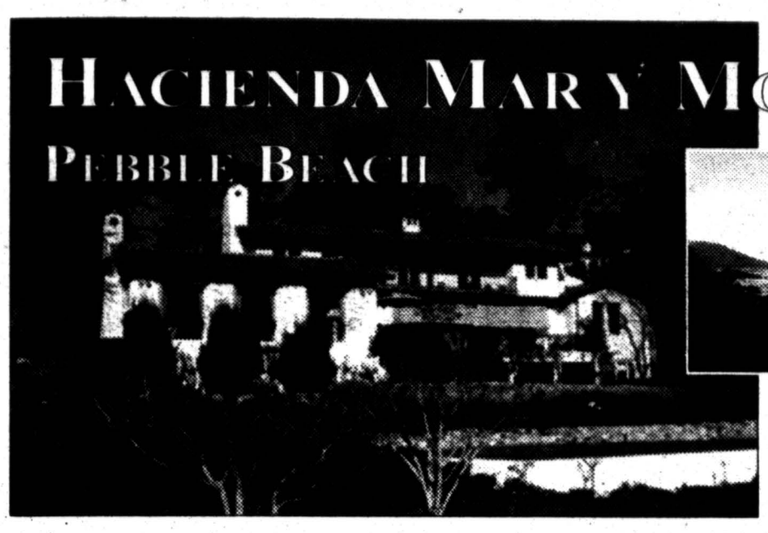

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Peace, privacy, space and dramatic views are all combined in this one-of-a-kind Pebble Beach estate residence. Located near the world famous Pebble Beach Lodge, Golf Links, the Beach & Tennis Club and Carmel is approx. over 10,000 sq. ft. 7-bedroom vintage Spanish Hacienda overlooking Carmel Beach & Bay, Carmel Point, Point Lobos, and the vast Pacific! This residence on over 2.5 acres boasts lavish formal entertaining areas and comfortable rooms for quiet relaxation. This gated estate features a climate-controlled wine cellar, caretaker quarters, lush park-like gardens, large pool & spa, putting green, children's playground, sunny view patios, ample guest parking, 3-car garage, and numerous large landscaped terraces. The home has a room for every purpose and most with vast and dramatic ocean views providing whale watching and glorious sunsets. $18,500,000

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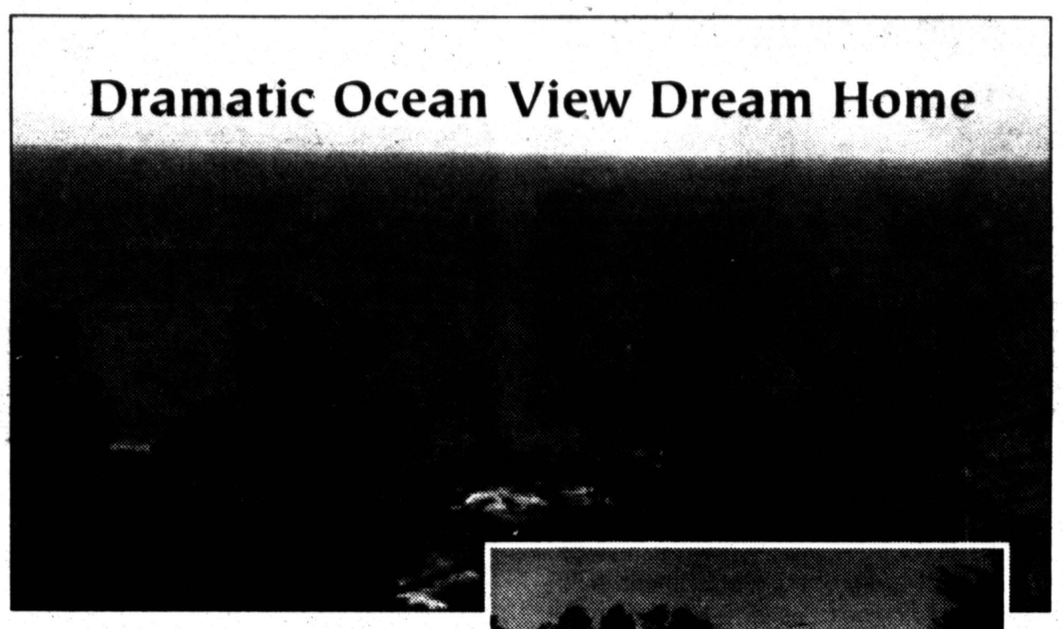
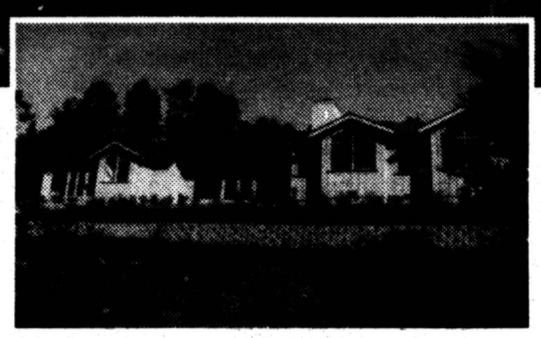
HOUSE OF THE WEEK

Dramatic Ocean View Dream Home





Watch sparkling sea vistas, waves and whales from all the major rooms in this dramatic new single level 3 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath Carmel Highlands home! Top craftsmanship and the finest appointments are featured in the approx. 3300 square foot home featuring limestone floors, maple cabinets, granite kitchen counters and a fabulous ocean view master suite. This dream home is just minutes from Carmel and the famous Highlands Inn.

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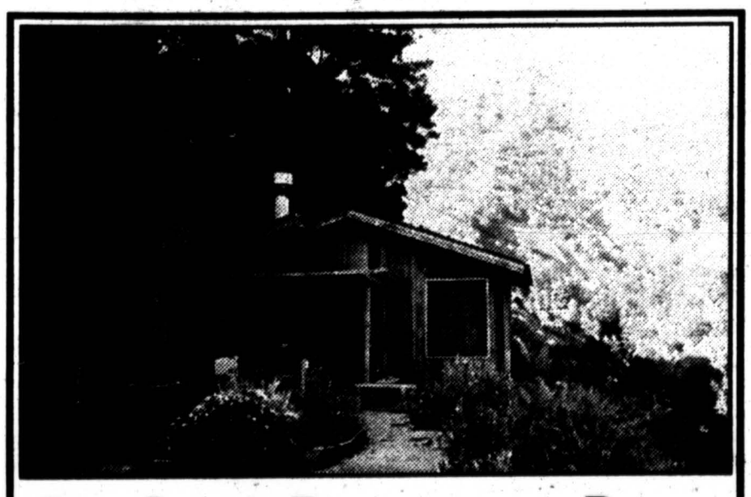

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SOUTH OF OCEAN! This 3-bedroom plus office, 2-1/2 bath cottage has been remodeled, following a design by Alan Turpen. Spacious country kitchen, formal dining room, redwood living room with fireplace and a studio that is being sold "as is." $1,299,000.

MISSION FIELDS! This bright and remodeled Mission Fields home boasts 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living room with hardwood floors and fireplace, family room and large backyard with mature landscaping. Don't miss this affordable, remodeled home! $725,000.

ARTS AND SOUL! From this charming remodeled Carmel English cottage you'll have a permanent seat overlooking the outdoor Forest Theater from your private patio! A magical 2-bedroom, 2-bath cottage with an ocean view master bedroom. $849,000.

COUNTRY ENGLISH STYLE! Nestled on an over-sized lot, this very charming 3-bedroom, 2-1/2-bath home has a family room and an easy access sun-drenched, southern-facing patio. Close to the beach and an easy walk to town. You will not want to miss this one! $2,375,000.

A MAGICAL RETREAT! This charming, eclectic, seven-year-old cottage has cathedral ceilings, skylights, and many custom features by local artists and craftsman. Master suite on each of two levels, and currently 3rd bedroom is used as an office.. $1,595,000.

VIENTO DE MAR! This ocean-view remodeled 3-bedroom, 4-bath Mediterranean home is steps from the beach. With the finest amenities including Carmel stone walkways and patios, hardwood floors and a top-of-the-line kitchen. $2,925,000.

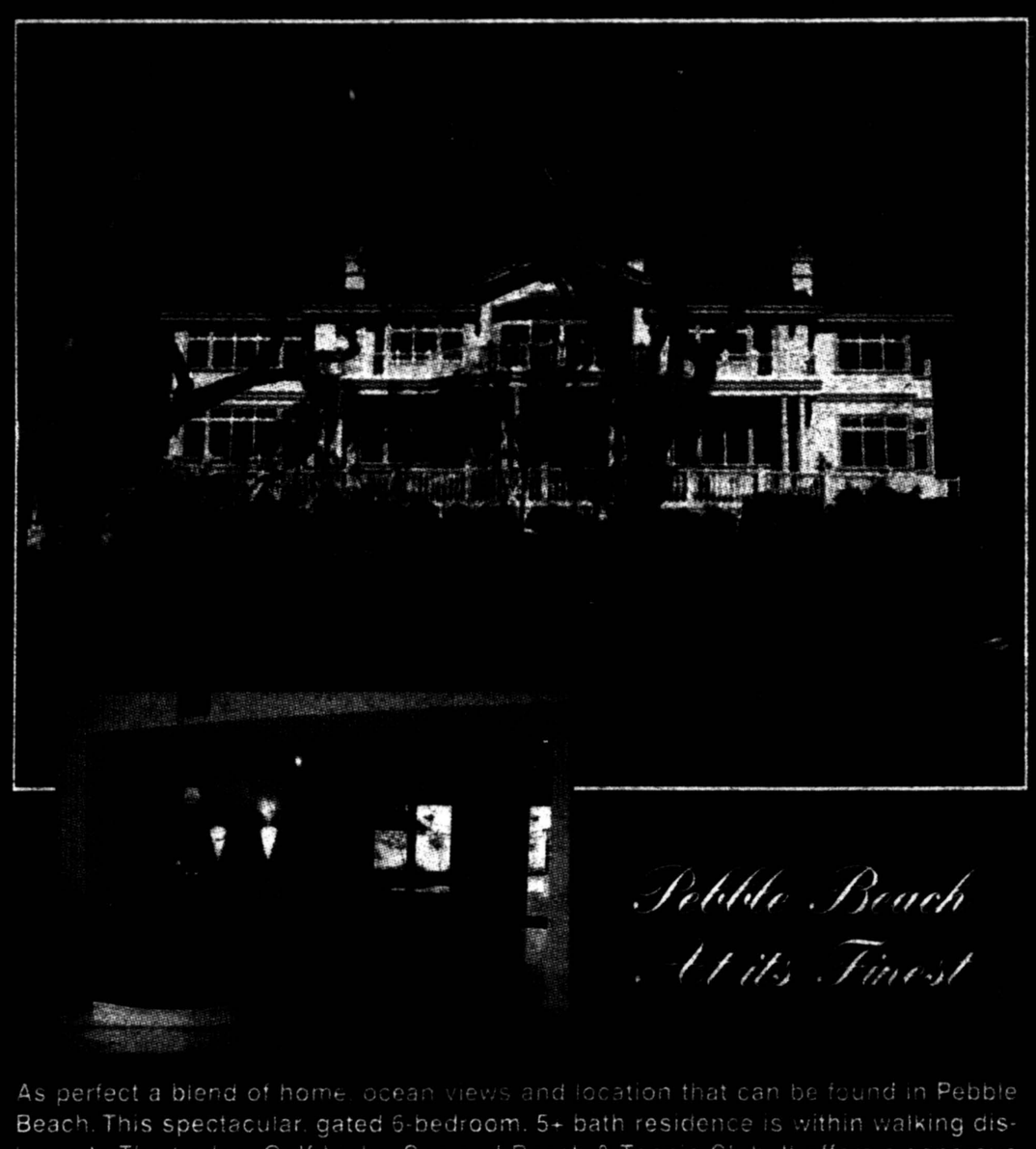
CARMEL HIGHLANDS

JOIE DE VIVRE! An alluring property perched high, overlooking the breathtaking drama of Wildcat Cove and the Pacific Ocean. White-water views dance through every room. Stone paths, courtyards, view decks. Four bedrooms, 5 baths. Steps to Highlands Inn. $1,795,000.

FOREVER VIEWS! Experience breathtaking views of Yankee Point Cove and the Pacific

Pebble Beach...

where verdant fairways complement breathtaking white-water views.



Pebble Beach At its Finest

As perfect a blend of home, ocean views and location that can be found in Pebble Beach. This spectacular, gated 6-bedroom, 5+ bath residence is within walking distance to The Lodge, Golf Links, Spa and Beach & Tennis Club. It offers a generous 11,500 sq. ft. of living space. An impeccable Mediterranean on approximately 1.7 landscaped acres. $13,750,000

from this artistically designed and recently completed 7000 sq. ft. masterpiece. With floor to ceiling windows, high vaulted ceilings, & slate floors. Four bedrooms, 4-1/2 baths. $9,500,000.

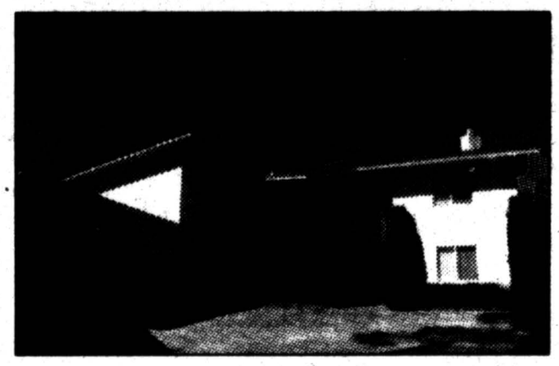
CARMEL VALLEY

MADE IN THE SHADE! Just a stone's throw from the park and nestled on one acre of majestic oaks awaits this extraordinary 4-bedroom, 3-bath home. Superb craftsmanship with vaulted ceilings, abundance of skylights, and peaceful views. $1,195,000.

QUAIL MEADOWS PRIVACY! Rare opportunity! A stunning 3400 sq. ft. home nestled on over 2.5 acres awaits your arrival. Located above the Quail Lodge Golf & Country Club. Complete with manicured gardens and oak-studded grounds. $3,295,000.

MONTEREY

PEACE & PRIVACY! Freshly painted two-story 3-bedroom, 2-1/2-bath stucco home in a cul-de-sac setting. Tiled foyer entry opens to living room with fireplace. Kitchen has sliding door to the rear patio. Near excellent school, shopping & open space. $749,000.



OCEAN & MOUNTAIN VIEWS! Flag lot with views of the bay, city lights & distant hills gives the feeling of privacy in this 4-bedroom, 3-bath, approximately 4000 sq. ft. home. Large kitchen, dining room, 3 fireplaces, & 3-car garage. $1,498,000.

CAPTIVATING VIEWS! In prestigious Bay Ridge, this well-built 4-bedroom 4-1/2-bath home offers a private master suite with view terrace, fireplace, marble and granite bath. At the rear of the home is a spacious view terrace offering mountain and valley vistas. $1,695,000.

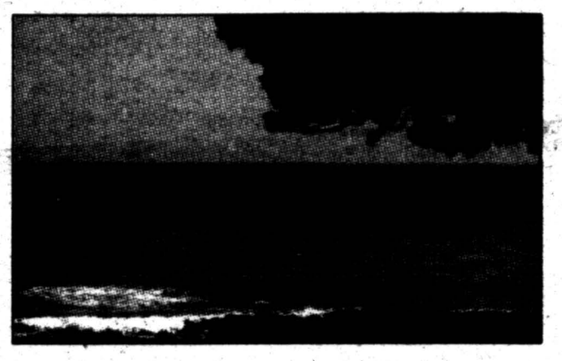
PACIFIC GROVE

FOREST GROVE DELIGHT! Nestled among the pines, this private end unit has been thoroughly upgraded with the highest of quality. Offering 2 bedrooms, 2 baths including a master suite that overlooks the patio. Just one block from the Pebble Beach gate. $459,000.

SPECTACULAR LOCATION! Don't miss this Pacific Grove gem located only a short stroll to Lovers Point and a nearby park. This double lot allows for expansion of the 2-bedroom, 1-1/2 bath home and includes an upgrade to 2 baths. To be sold "as is". $750,000.

NELL O'BRIEN HOUSE! Historic shingled bungalow in coveted neighborhood of classic homes. Updated to perfection - charms of the past sprinkled midst the whistles & bells of now. Delightful garden, street to alley lot, large two-car garage; 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. $849,000.

SUNNY HILLTOP HOME! In a quiet neighborhood at the top of the hill is this 3-bedroom, 1-1/2-bath home with filtered ocean view. Hardwood and parquet floors in the main rooms, fireplace, and two-car garage. Landscaped yards. Walk to shops & schools. $539,000.



MONTEREY BAY SANCTUARY! Overlook the bay from your living room or take a few steps down to the shoreline recreation trail from this ideally sited 2-bedroom, 2-bath home. The corner lot is just three houses from Ocean View Boulevard. $950,000

PEBBLE BEACH

OCEAN PINES CONDO! New on the market, a forest-view 2-bedroom, 2-bath unit with upgraded kitchen and baths. Complementing touches include fireplace, crown moulding, raised panel doors, private deck and inside laundry. $495,000.

NEAR MPCC DUNES COURSE! This 4-bedroom home in a quiet neighborhood has been recently remodeled. The kitchen features all-new appliances, cabinetry, & granite counters. The new 4th bedroom with bathroom & office has a separate entrance. $1,295,000.

STATELY CAPE COD ELEGANCE! This beautiful 3-bedroom, 2-1/2-bath charmer is situated on nearly 1/2 acre of level land. Features include large formal great room with high beamed ceilings and black marble fireplace, and cozy family room/kitchen with fireplace. $1,395,000.

A WALK IN THE PARK! On an ocean-view acre near The Lodge is a gem called "The Garden House." A treasure with gated entry surrounded by landscaped gardens & reflection pool. Stunning contemporary over 2700 sq. ft. main residence plus a nearby 2-bedroom caretaker's cottage. $3,200,000.

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CARMEL BACH FESTIVAL WILL BE SUMMER'S HOTTEST TICKET

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

AFTER A Herculean effort that would do any small town proud, Carmel gets a brand new performing arts center this year. And the very first concert will be free.

Sunset Center reopens July 19 after a two-year, $21 million renovation job that is nearly complete. The best of the old school auditorium — it's stately charm — remains. But all the outdated, threadbare stuff is gone, and so are the dreadful acoustics. In their place is an up-to-date, finely tuned concert hall, complete with wider seats, better sightlines, sophisticated climate control, outstanding backstage facilities, access for the disabled, many more restrooms, a convenient box office, etc., etc. etc.

And the old parking lot out front is being replaced with a landscaped plaza that promises to become the city's Main Square. Behind it, the stunning new building that is already drawing rave reviews for its architecture.

PHOTO: PAUL MILLER

Still under construction, Carmel-by-the-Sea's Sunset Theater tantalizes performing arts lovers who follow its building process through chain link sidewalk fencing. The construction zone is off limits to the public until the center's official opening in July.

May's Summer Recommendations!

The Partly Cloudy Patriot
by **Sarah Vowell**
Simon & Schuster - $22.00

The DaVinci Code
by **Dan Brown**
Doubleday, a division of Random House - $24.95

Don't Lets Go to the Dogs Tonight
by **Alexandra Fuller**
Random House - $12.95

Good Faith
by **Jane Smiley**
Knopf, a division of Random House - $26.00

The Crystal Cave (Book One), The Hollow Hills (Book Two), The Last Enchantment (Book Three), The Wicked Day (Book Four)
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Celebrated German-born conductor and classical recording star Bruno Weil serves as music director and conductor of the Carmel Bach Festival.

The grand opening of Sunset Center will be an evening concert on July 19, featuring J.S. Bach's **Magnificat** and **Brandenburg Concerto No. 4** and Stravinsky's **Concerto for Strings in D Major**.

"The Magnificat couldn't be a better choice for our return to Sunset," said Bach Fest artistic director Nana Faridany. "It's the most noisy, flashy and celebratory piece Bach wrote."

The first evening's performance is already sold out — though tickets remain for repeat concerts on July 26 and Aug 2 and more than a dozen other major concerts at Sunset Center, the Carmel Mission and other venues during the Bach Festival.

But the very, very first concert at the new Sunset Center will be a free family concert at 4:30 p.m. on July 19, featuring California's most outstanding young musicians.

"After two years on the road because of Sunset Center reconstruction, this promises to be our best season," said Willem Wijnbergen, executive director of the festival. The festival runs from July 19 through Aug. 9.

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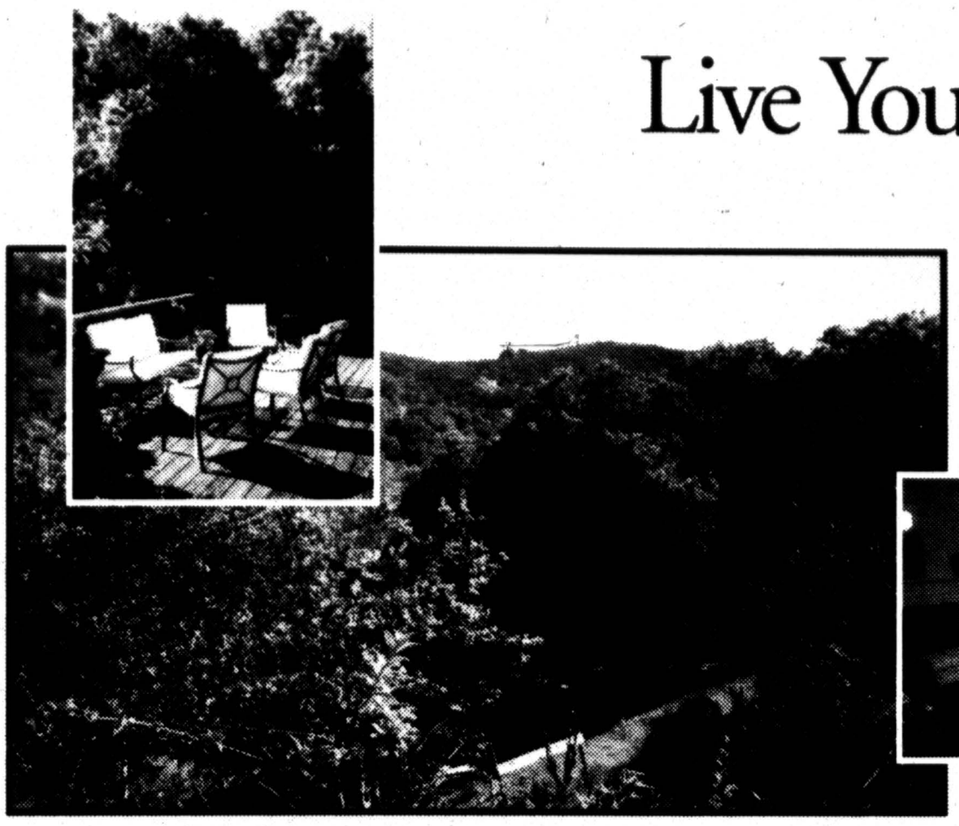

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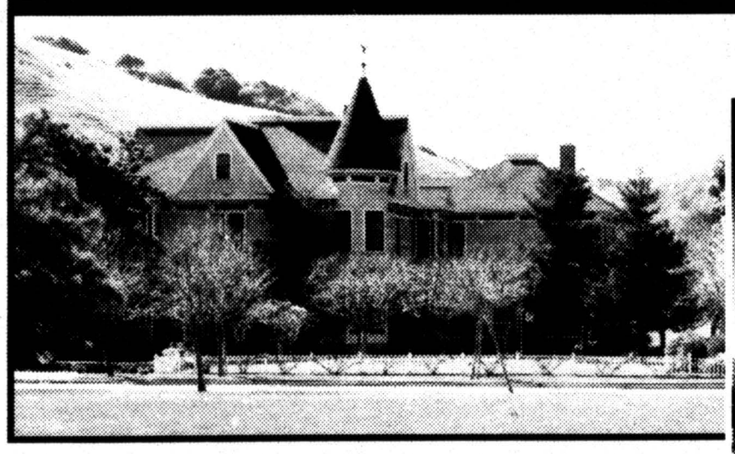

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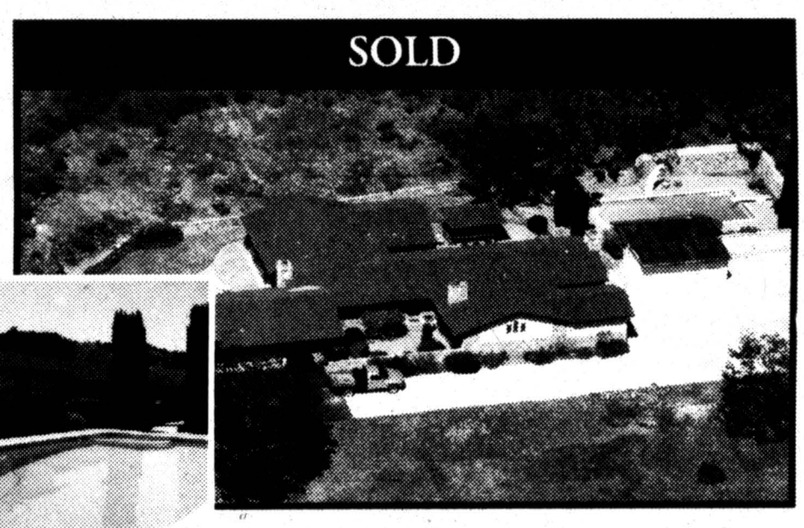

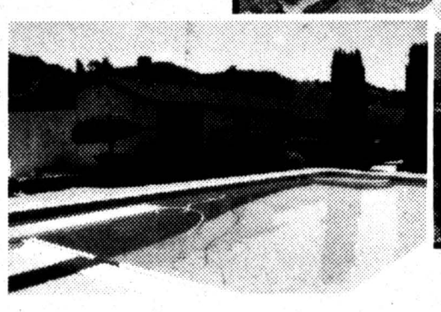

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Beautiful private home located on 7.5 country acres. This home is a spacious single level with approximately 3,500 sq. ft., 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 fireplaces, and a 3-car garage. The large master bedroom suite has a very nice bath and oversized walk-in closet. Outside, the 20x40 pool has a swimmer's dressing room and a covered barbeque counter on a patio for entertaining. Room to plant grapes for your very own vineyard!

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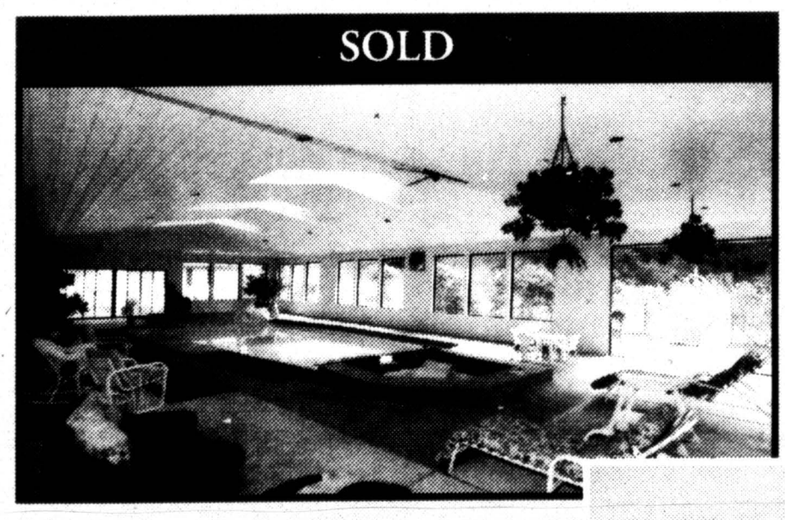

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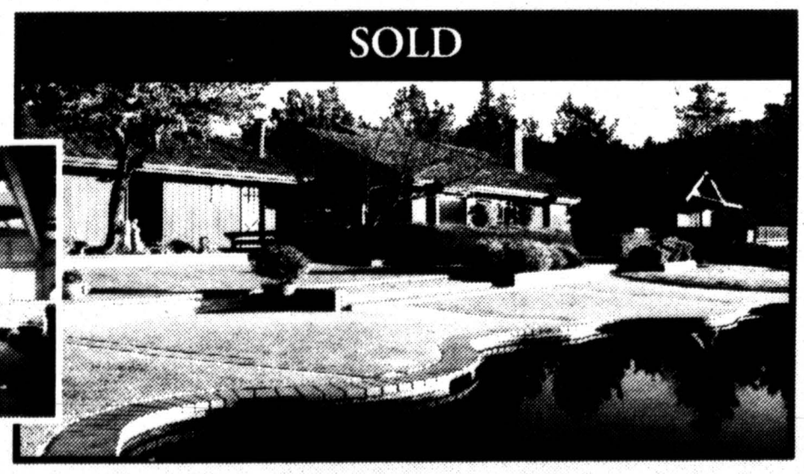

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The series gets underway this year on Friday, May 23, with "Sunset Boulevard" starring William Holden and Gloria Swanson.

The movies are sponsored by local businesses and civic-minded film-crazed Carmelites. Many of the sponsors are adding to the excitement by offering prizes themed to their movie offering.

All films begin at dusk at the outdoor theater at Mountain View and Forest. Tickets are $5. Dress warmly, and bring a picnic dinner and a pillow.

2003 Films in the Forest and their sponsors

•Friday, May 23, **"Sunset Boulevard,"** (1950), Shan Sayles & John Whitt

•Saturday, May 24, **"Lover Come Back,"** (1961), The Cypress Inn

•Sunday, May 25, **"Caddyshack,"** (1980), Bruno's Market

•Tuesday, June 3, **"Rebel Without a Cause,"** (1955), Inns By The Sea

•Wednesday, June 4, **"Little Shop of Horrors,"** (1986), Carmel Bay Company

•Tuesday, June 10, **"It Happened One Night,"** (1933), The Pine Inn

•Wednesday, June 11, **"Dead Men Don't Wear Plaid,"** (1982), Pebble Beach Co.

•Friday, June 20, **"A Hard Day's Night,"** (1964), Carmel Valley Coffee Roasting Co.

•Saturday, June 21, **"When Harry Met Sally,"** (1989), Curves In Carmel

•Tuesday, July 1, **"The Philadelphia Story,"** (1940), Arlene & Ben Beesley/Coldwell Banker

•Wednesday, July 2, **"The Adventures of Robin Hood,"** (1938), Airborne Cold Remedy

•Tuesday, July 8, **"A Night at the Opera,"** (1935), Monterey Symphony

•Wednesday, July 9, **"Breakfast at Tiffany's,"** (1961), Le Bijou Jewelry

•Tuesday, July 15, **"Easy Rider,"** (1969), Carmel Business Association

•Wednesday, July 16, **"Willie Wonka and the Chocolate Factory,"** (1971), Carmel Cottage of Sweets

•Tuesday, July 22, **"Shampoo,"** (1975), March Hare Aveda Concept Salon

•Wednesday, July 23, **"The Pink Panther,"** (1964), Monterey Ski & Social Club

•Sunday, July 27, **"Airplane!"** (1980), Wings & Boat Works

•Monday, July 28, **"The Thin Man,"** (1934), The Village Corner

•Tuesday, July 29, **"The Love Bug,"** (1969), Wester Volkswagen

•Wednesday, July 30, **"Dinner at Eight,"** (1933), American Institute of Wine & Food, Monterey Bay Chapter

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Car lovers' dream week gets a new event

THE WORLD comes to the Monterey Peninsula every August to celebrate the artistry and technology of the finest automobiles on the planet. And this year a whole new event has been added to the already daunting list of car events. Concorso Italiano has moved from Quail Lodge to Black Horse Golf Course, and replacing it is a brand-new event in Carmel Valley, "The Quail." Clear your schedule for the second week in August because there's a lot to do.

Classic Car Week August 10 - 17

Tour d'Elegance Classic Car Parade

Pebble Beach, Pacific Grove, Monterey, Carmel Valley, Carmel

August 14, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

About 100 Classic Cars — all entrants in the Concours d'Elegance — will parade through the Monterey Peninsula beginning about 9:30 from the Polo Field near The Lodge at Pebble Beach. Their route will take them through Pacific Grove, Monterey, Carmel Valley and Carmel-by-the-Sea, where the fabulous cars park on Ocean Avenue from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. while their owners and local VIPs have lunch at Devendorf Park. The cars then return to Pebble Beach, where, after the grueling Tour, they have a lot of getting-back-in-shape to do for Sunday's Concours d'Elegance. (831) 659-0663.

The Quail — A Motorsports Gathering Quail Lodge Resort August 15, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

After years of hosting the ever-growing Concorso Italiano, Quail Lodge is launching a brand-new, more intimate event, which it hopes will have some of the pizazz of the Concorso without the stifling crowds. "The Quail" will be limited to 3,500 attendees, who will have a chance to view 100 of the most notable historic sports and racing cars in the world amid the "distinct brand of luxury, creativity and excitement" of the newly remodeled Quail Lodge.

Also during the week, the hotel will be hosting the Quail Rally, with 30 drivers taking their cars on a picturesque two-day trip through the Monterey Peninsula's back roads, along with several other dinners and events of note, including a private, gala dinner Saturday night to honor participants in the historic car races at Laguna Seca.

For tickets and info call (877) 734-4628.

Concorso Italiano August 15, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The annual homage to all things Italian — especially those sexy, fast cars — has moved from Quail Lodge to Black Horse Golf Course in Seaside. This year, the event will honor the 40th Anniversary of Lamborghini and will introduce to the USA the new Lamborghini V-10 Gallardo. There will also be a magnificent display of Ferraris, a salute to Italian Spyders and Barchettas, a runway fashion show and something called the "Concorso Burn-Out,"

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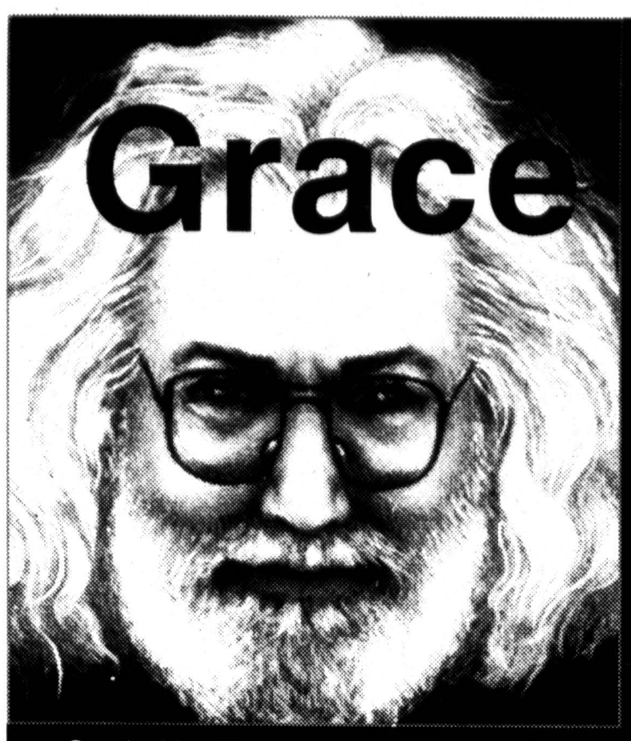

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which organizers say will be a "new dimension of smoke, noise and action." Maybe that's why the event moved!

Tickets are $50 until June 30 and $60 after; proceeds benefit Monterey Peninsula youth programs. Call (425) 688-1903 or visit www.concorso.com

Pacific Grove Auto Rally
Pacific Grove, Monterey, Carmel, Pebble Beach
August 15, 5 to 8 p.m.

This annual event started as a just-for-fun common man's Concours but has since grown into an impressive display of special cars from all eras — from the Model T and the Packard to the Dodge Viper and the Corvette. The event begins with an all-day display of participating cars along Lighthouse Avenue, followed by the rally at 5 p.m. from downtown Pacific Grove to Pebble Beach, Monterey, Carmel and back to Pacific Grove for a BBQ. Proceeds benefit youth programs in Pacific Grove and the P.G. Rotary Club. Call (831) 375-7790 for more info.

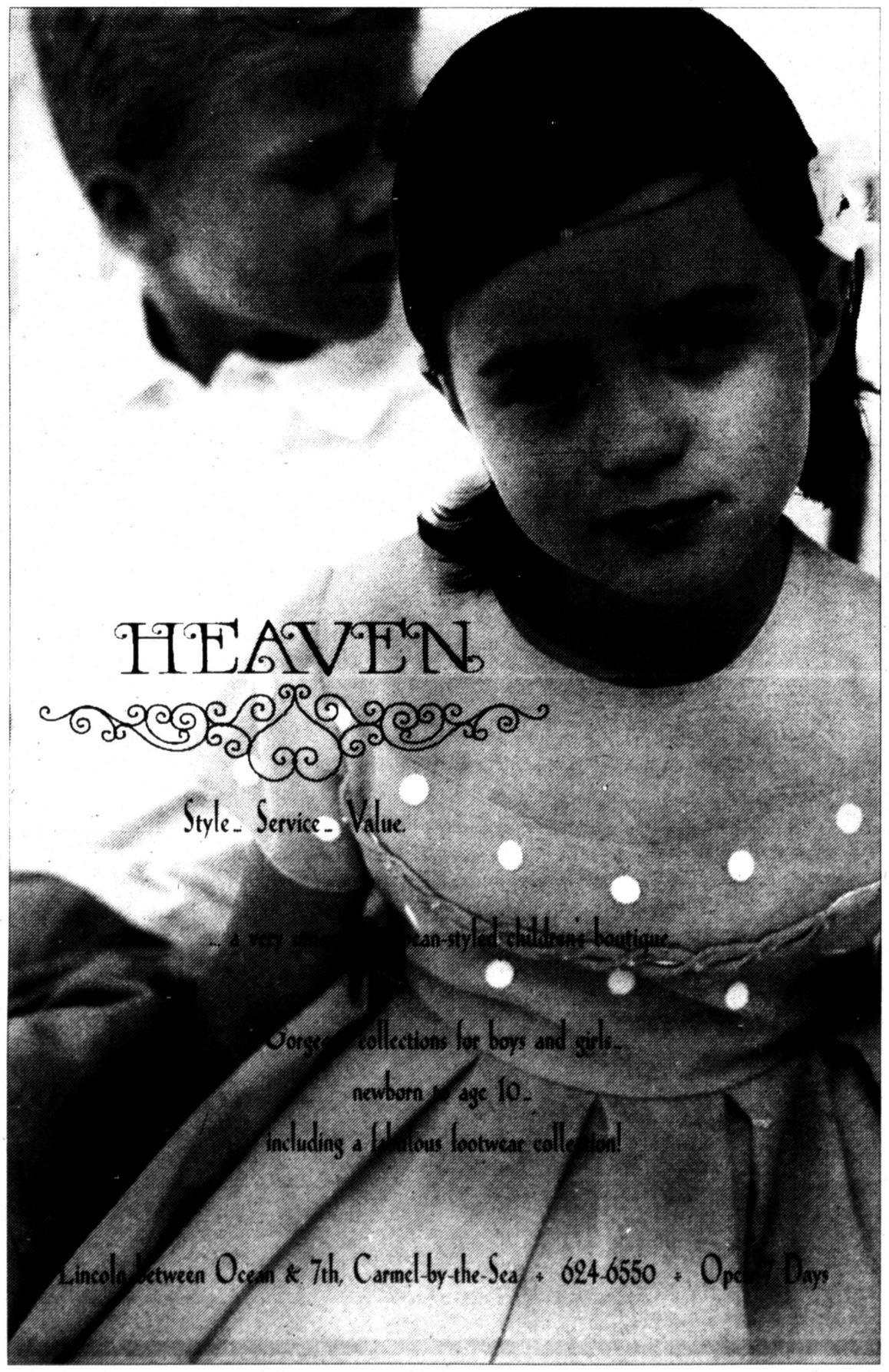
30th Rolex Monterey Historic Automobile Races
August 15 — 17
Mazda Raceway at Laguna Seca

The hands of time will be turned back again this year from August 16 to 18, as Laguna Seca comes alive with the sounds of exotic thoroughbreds from the past and the Historic Automobile Races take to the track.

The Historic Races ring out the best of racing's past; from rare pre-war racers adorned with nameplates like Bugatti and Alfa-Romeo to '70s and '80s rocket ships from Lola and McLaren. Whether your love lies with open-cockpit beauties or early composite bodywork, the Historic Races have it all. Tickets and info: (831) 648-5100.

53rd Concours d' Elegance
August 17
The Lodge at Pebble Beach

This elegant event draws wealthy international car collectors and has become one of the world's premier automobile events. Proceeds benefit the United Way. If sipping champagne while gazing at multi-million-dollar automobiles amid the stunning scenery of the 18th Fairway at Pebble Beach isn't for you, give this event a miss. Otherwise, call (831) 659-0663 for info or (831) 372-8026 for tickets, which will be $100 (kids under 12 free).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July 20	Layne Littlepage and Barney Hulse
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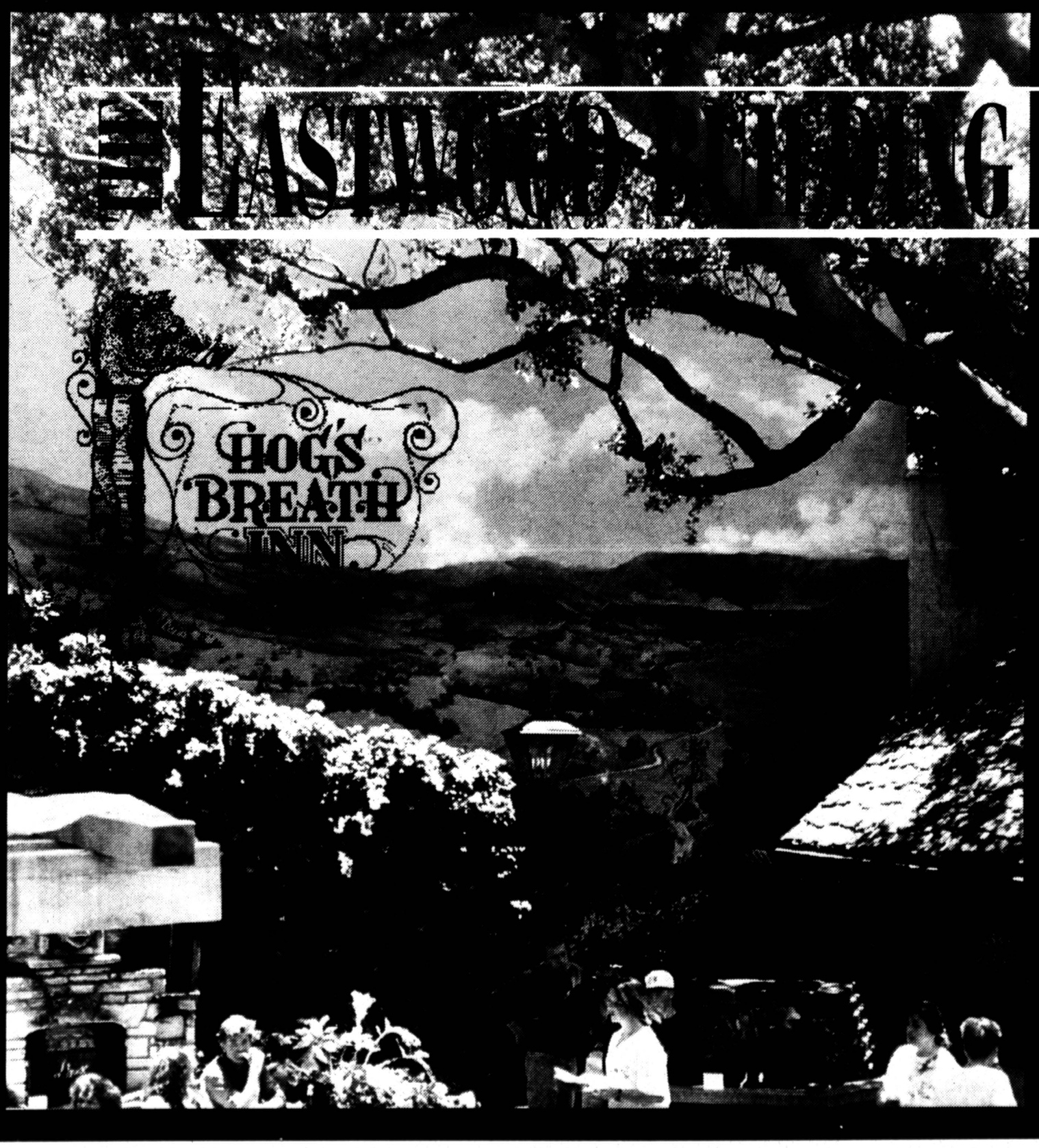

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- Every third Sunday from May to September, the city's arts commission will present an afternoon concert at the Jewell Park gazebo.
- The city's Old Fashioned Fourth of July celebration will include food, games and fun at Jewell Park. Call 373-3304 for more info.
- A highlight of every summer on the Peninsula is the Feast of Lanterns, this year taking place July 22 - 26. Events include a Fun Track Meet, Feast of Salads, Pet Parade, Sand Castle Contest and the traditional Pageant and Fireworks.
- Concours Auto Rally, August 25. See page 6C.
- Triathalon at Pacific Grove, September 13. Top athletes from around the world will swim, bike and run in this Olympic-distance event. Call 373-0678.
- Swim programs for all ages throughout the summer at the city's pool at Lovers' Point. Call 648-5730.
- The city sponsors a wide variety of camps and trips for youngsters and teenagers in various weekly sessions from June 16 to August 15. www.pacificgroverecreation.org
- Youth programs — from a Chess Challenge to a Summer Reading Club to Basketball, Soccer and Golf Clinics — are offered throughout the summer. Adult sports classes include tennis, basketball and socko.

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- You can also try the "Instant Piano for Hopelessly Busy People" class, the "Capoeira Angola" dance class, the "West African Drum" class, and classes in ballroom dancing, Jazzercise, self defense and many others. www.pacificgroverecreation.org

For some events, fees are lower for P.G. residents, but everyone is welcome. Call (831) 648-5730 for details.

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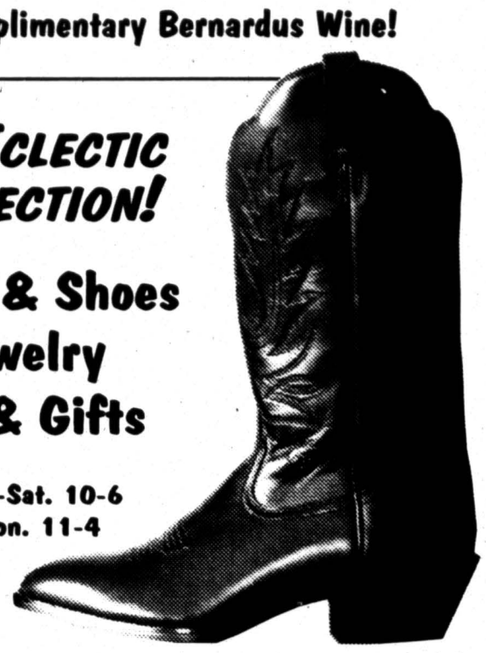

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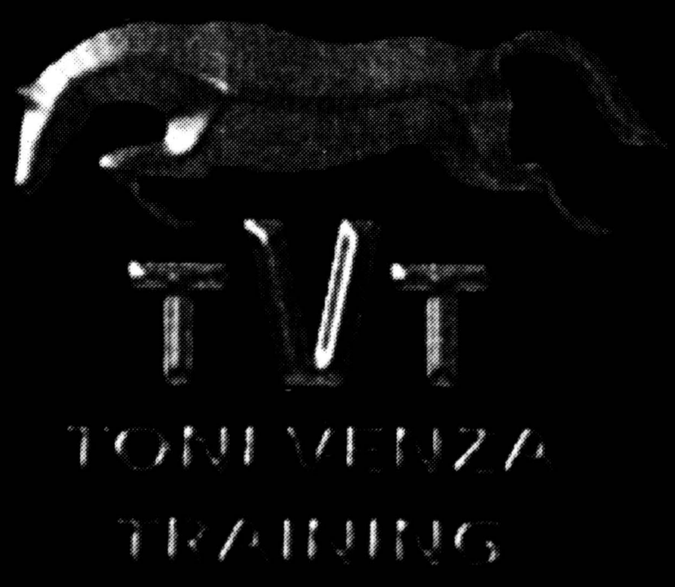

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Five summertime reasons to escape the coast

By JENNIFER SMITH

Dreading summer beachside crowds? Fed up with long lines? Looking for a change of pace? The old-time charm of the Salinas Valley offers a relaxing, no pressure, just-minutes-away, instant vacation! Here are six well-known and not-so-well-known suggestions for escaping the summertime, seaside blahs...

1. Wine Tasting in Steinbeck Country

The wineries of "Steinbeck Country" have, seemingly overnight, become preferred visitor destinations in Monterey County. These boutique vintners, scattered throughout the Salinas Valley and foothills, craft some of California's most sought-after Pinot Noir, Syrah, Chardonnay, Merlot and Riesling. Warm hospitality is the watchword in their tasting rooms and scenic event facilities. In addition to fine wine finds, you'll discover some of the county's most fun, unique shopping. Gourmet food items, wine-themed clothing and art, and striking home and garden décor can be found in their gift boutiques. You'll need to bring the family truck to carry home all your new treasures. A tasting map and guide is available at www.steinbeckwinecountry.com

2. Shopping/Strolling Old Town Salinas

The shopping district along East Alisal and South Main streets in Old Town Salinas in lined with interesting architecture and small, family run shops and restaurants. The ever-changing exhibits of the landmark National Steinbeck Center are an informative and cultural start to your walk. Afterward, a stroll down the street reveals many eclectic shops – don't miss the great home decorating ideas at Rooms in Bloom or the one-of-a-kind jewelry to be found at Andrus. After you've worked up an appetite, the cutting-edge American cuisine of Hullabaloo is a must. For more information on Old Town Salinas, go to www.salinas.com.

3. Taking the Cure at Paraiso Hot Springs

In its heyday in the early 1900s, Paraiso Hot Springs was a famous resort that folks traveled by train and carriage all the way from San Francisco and Los Angeles to enjoy. Pamphlets touted the springs' waters as a cure-all for everything from cancer to infertility. Today, the site no longer hosts silent film stars yet still is a draw for locals in the know. Located in the western hills above Soledad, Paraiso Hot Springs rents cabins for overnight stays. Or, with a day pass, bask in the two pools and hot tub. With a little imagination, you'll feel like a pampered Douglas Fairbanks or Mary Pickford. Call (831) 678-2882 for more info.

4. Hiking/Snoozing: The Pinnacles/The Inn at The Pinnacles

Hikers come from all over the world to traverse the trails of Monterey County's very own geologic marvel, Pinnacles

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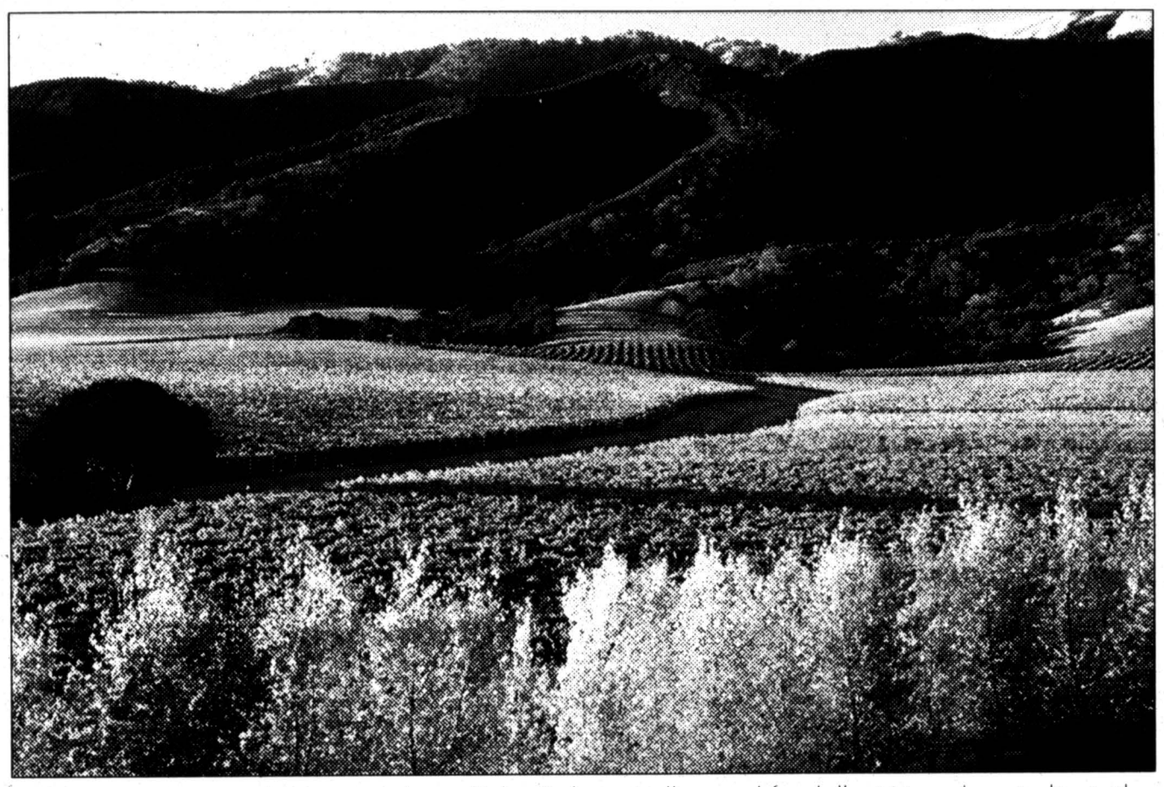

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Young athletes and artists can shine at York's summer programs

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

YORK SUMMER Arts Programs offer students the opportunity to explore their favorite art form with practicing professionals. And if you'd rather learn to bend it like Beckham, the school also organizes a soccer camp. Field hockey sessions are available, as well.

The school offers two programs requiring no previous experience in the arts — including art camp and the master class in drama — as well as the summer art intensive, designed for students who have achieved proficiency in their specialty.

Art camp, open to ages 13 to adult, allows students to expand their knowledge of a familiar field or explore a brand new artistic expression, including: linoleum cut prints, accordion fold books, collage, sculpture with found objects, drypoint etchings, personalized journals, monoprints and Photoshop for artists.

York's dramatic offerings includes a class on musical theater and a mask performance workshop. Musically inclined students can learn to interpret a song on stage, while young thespians will develop their talents by using the ancient art of mask performance.

All participants will be invited to perform at a showcase at the end of each session.

Summer art intensive

The summer art intensive offers advanced drawing and painting classes for junior and senior students. The workshop focuses on building skills for college entrance portfolios.

Students will be challenged to draw from direct observation and develop their painting skills by focusing on color and composition. During the second week of the program, students will be give the opportunity to develop a portfolio.

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❂ For more information about the dates and times available for York's summer programs, call Joyce Sherry at 372-7338, ext. 138, or visit the website www.york.org

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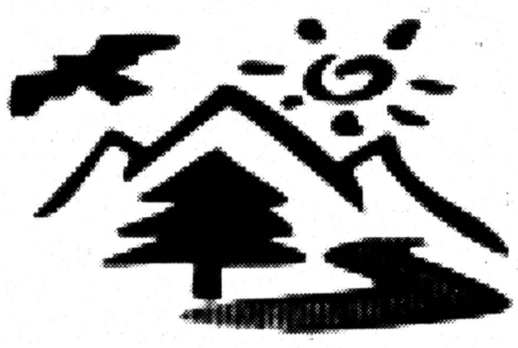

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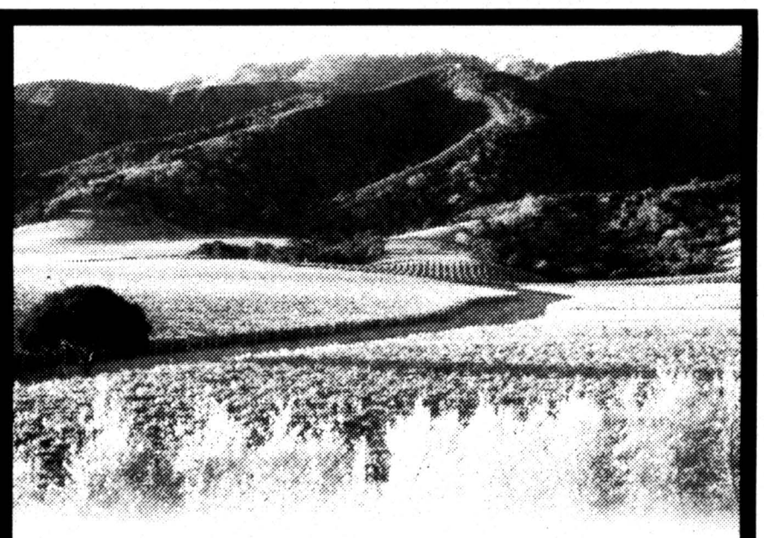

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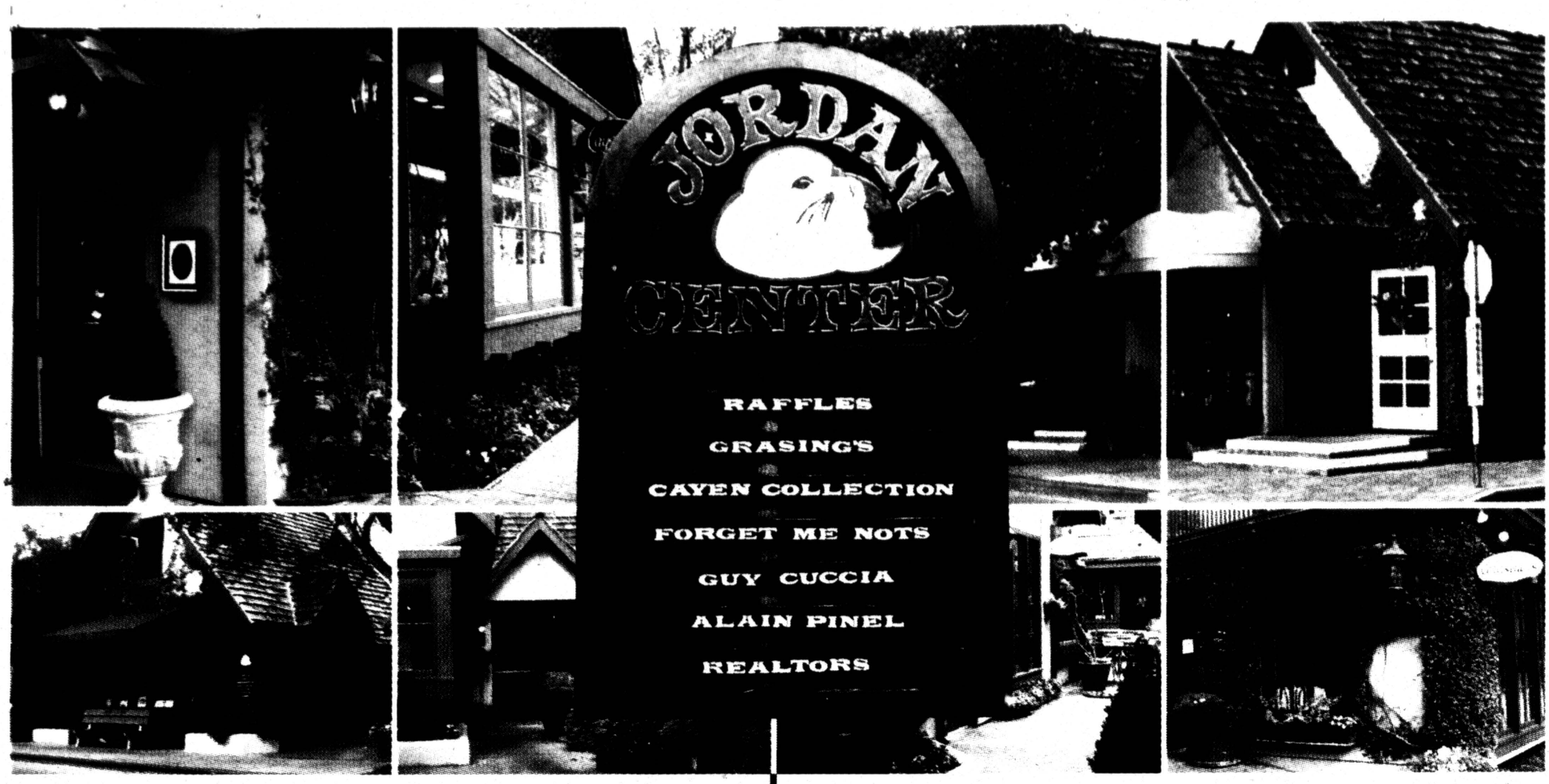

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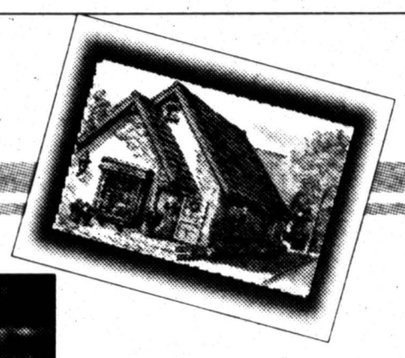

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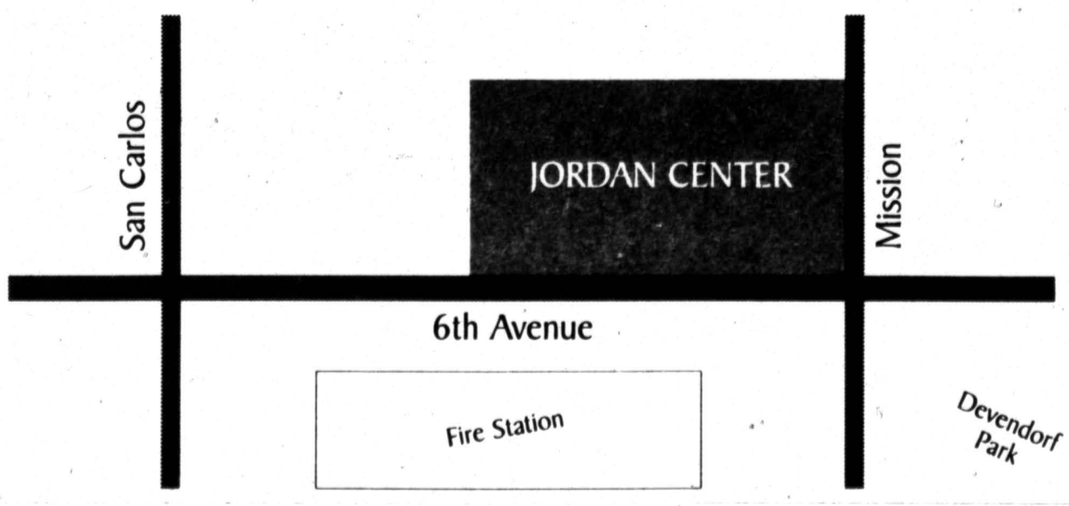

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